

1988  
FINANCIAL REPORT



**FRANCONIA**  
**NEW HAMPSHIRE**

University of New Hampshire  
Library

This Town Report is dedicated to

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**ROBERT P. BALL**

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in appreciation for  
his 25 years as Selectman  
during which he served unselfishly  
and with caring and devotion  
for the people of our Town.

**ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT**  
**of the**  
**TOWN OFFICERS**  
**of**  
**FRANCONIA, NH**

**INCLUDING REPORTS OF THE**  
**Water Commissioners**  
**Abbie Greenleaf Library**  
**Chamber of Commerce**  
**Frost Place**

**FOR THE YEAR ENDING**  
**DECEMBER 31, 1988**

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## TOWN OFFICERS

### Board of Selectmen

ROBERT P. BALL	(Resigned)
BRUCE P. BUNKER	(Term expires 1990)
SALLY L. SMALL	(Term expires 1991)
RONALD A. HUNT	(Appointed - 1989)

### Administrative Assistant

RUTH A. VAILL (Appointed)

### Town Clerk

TRINA LUCE (1989)

### Tax Collector

TRINA LUCE (1989)

### Treasurer

CHRISTINE D. PEABODY (1989)

### Moderator

DAVID E. SCHAFFER (1990)

### Road Agent

DAVID HUNT (APPOINTED)

### Health Officer

JOEL PEABODY (Resigned)  
ARTHUR HUGHES (Appointed)

### Auditor

RALPH BRIGIDA (Appointed)

### Fire Chief

WILLIAM MEAD (Appointed)

### Chief of Police

ROBERT G. MALESKY (Appointed)

### Water Commissioners

KENNETH MOSEDALE (1989)  
RICHARD McLACHLIN (1990)  
CHARLES CASEY (1991)

### Library Trustees

SHIRLEY LYMAN (1989)	ESTER BROCKELMAN (1989)
DANIEL FOWLER (1990)	JEFFREY HULTGREN (1990)
DOROTHY MAGNUSON (1991)	CHAUNCEY BLAIR (Appointed)

### Board of Education

#### Lafayette School District

WILLIAM MEAD	Franconia (1989)
BETTY MOODY	Easton (1989)
JEAN SERINO	Sugar Hill (1989)
GREGORY CONNORS	Franconia (1990)
DONALD BOISSONNEAULT	Sugar Hill (1991)

#### Profile School District

RAYMOND HOLLAND	Lafayette (1989)
JOHN STEVENSON	Bethlehem (1989)
PAULINE KEACH	Bethlehem (1989)
ROBERT CAREY	Lafayette (1990)
ALISTAR MacBAIN	Bethlehem (1990)
AMY BAHR	Lafayette (1991)
DAVID BISHOP	Bethlehem (1991)

### Trustees of Trust Funds

BARBARA BARRAND	(1990)
JOHN LYMAN	(1990)
FREDERICK W. GRIFFIN	(Resigned)
PAUL MAGNUSON	(Appointed)

### Supervisors of Checklist

KATHERINE C. WHITCOMB	(1990)
NANCY PEABODY	(1992)
ANN ACKLEY	(1994)

### Planning Board

RONALD HUNT	(1989)	DWIGHT TAYLOR	(1989)
ROBERT BALL	(1989)	ROBERT CAREY	(1990)
CATHY GERASIN	(1990)	JOSEPH NELSON	1991)
FREDERICK GRIFFIN	(1991)	JANE HUGHES	(Alternate)
EARLE COLLINS	(Alternate)	KENNETH FORD	(Alternate)

### Zoning Board of Adjustment

JERE PEABODY	(1989)	RICHARD GAUDETTE	(1989)
CHRISTOPHER BROOKS	(1991)	JOSEPH NELSON	(1991)
BARBARA BARRAND	(1990)	BERTRAM HERBERT	(Alternate)
OLIVER COLE	(Alternate)		

### Conservation Commission

H. ASHTON CROSBY	(1989)	CHRISTIE SHAW-DORAN	(1989)
AMY BAHR	(1990)	KENNETH FORD	(1990)
REGINALD TARR	(Resigned)	GRETCHEN BUNKER	(1990)
LUCY HALL	(1991)		

### Recreation Committee

<b>-SUGAR HILL-</b>	<b>-FRANCONIA-</b>	<b>-EASTON-</b>
LISSA BOISSONNEAULT	GRETCHEN BUNKER (Resigned)	PATRICIA CLARK
BARRY FIELD	JEFFREY HULTGREN	KATHY RADAR
	DAVID SULLIVAN	
	JANE HUGHES	
	JOSEPH FLYNN	

### Franconia Museum - History Committee

EILEEN BALL	HAMILTON FORD	PHYLLIS HERBERT
AMY BAHR	RUTH GIVENS	JOHN LYMAN
	EDGAR DAVIS	

### Historian

SARAH N. WELCH

# BALANCE SHEET

## ASSETS

Cash on hand:		
NOW Account	\$ 61,072.88	
CHOICE Account	1,937.52	
Land Use Fund	22,293.85	
Yield Tax Account	3,362.64	
McLachlin Memorial Fund	<u>1,614.80</u>	\$ 90,281.69
Capital Reserve Funds		235,540.59
Unexpended Funds:		
Article 9 - Tri-Town Base Map	3,234.00	
Article 10 - Shared Services/Engineer	4,000.00	
Article 11 - Shared Services/Bldg. Insp.	2,675.00	
Article 12 - Handicap Ramp	<u>1,312.94</u>	11,221.94
Unredeemed Taxes:		
Levy of 1985	596.07	
Levy of 1986	69,009.51	
Levy of 1987	<u>97,324.20</u>	166,929.78
Uncollected Taxes:		
Levy of 1985	20.00	
Levy of 1986	50.00	
Levy of 1987	680.00	
Levy of 1988	<u>259,870.62</u>	<u>260,620.62</u>
Total Assets		\$764,594.62

## LIABILITIES

Land Use Fund		\$ 22,293.85
Yield Tax Account		3,362.64
McLachlin Memorial Fund		1,614.80
Capital Reserve Funds		235,540.59
Unexpended Funds:		
Article 9 - Tri-Town Base Map	\$3,234.00	
Article 10 - Shared Services/Engineer	4,000.00	
Article 11 - Shared Services/Bldg. Insp.	2,675.00	
Article 12 - Handicap Ramp	<u>1,312.94</u>	11,221.94
School Taxes Payable		<u>412,147.00</u>
Total Liabilities		\$686,180.82
CURRENT SURPLUS		\$ 78,413.80



## SUMMARY INVENTORY OF ASSESSED VALUATION

Land	\$17,943,638.00
Buildings	32,085,250.00
Manufactured Housing	432,400.00
Electric Utilities	<u>650,750.00</u>
Gross Valuation	\$51,112,038.00
Blind Exemption	12,000.00
Elderly Exemptions	<u>114,600.00</u>
Net Valuation	\$50,985,438.00

## STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND TAXES ASSESSED

Total Town Appropriations	\$ 526,702.00
Revenues and Credits	<u>172,295.00</u>
Net Town Appropriations	354,407.00
Net School Tax Assessments	794,147.00
County Tax Assessments	<u>104,378.00</u>
Total of Town, School, County	\$1,252,932.00
Deduct Business Profits Tax	21,566.00
Add War Service Credits	3,550.00
Add Overlay	<u>5,050.00</u>
Property Taxes to be Raised	\$1,239,966.00
Less War Service Credits	3,550.00
Less Rounding Adjustment	<u>.23</u>
Taxes Committed to the Collector	\$1,236,415.77
Supplemental Tax Warrant	<u>11,471.82</u>
Total Taxes Committed to Collector	\$1,247,887.59

1988 Tax Rate (Per \$1,000.00 Valuation)

Town	\$6.95
County	2.01
School	<u>15.36</u>
	\$24.32

## **SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY**

Town Hall, land and building	\$195,450.00
Town Hall, equipment	7,780.00
Library, land and building	146,350.00
Fire/Police, land and building	222,000.00
Fire Department, equipment	48,157.00
Police Department, equipment	21,839.00
Highway Department/Transfer Station	
Land & Buildings	82,250.00
Highway Department, equipment	73,074.00
Transfer Station, equipment	12,000.00
Hockey Rink and building	5,200.00
Water Supply Facilities	429,824.00
Cemetery	5,500.00
Gravel Pit	17,950.00
Land in Bethlehem	260,150.00
Land in Franconia	46,350.00
Robert Frost House (Museum)	70,900.00
Sarah Welch House (Museum)	<u>47,100.00</u>
	\$1,691,874.00

## **STATEMENT OF BONDED DEBT**

**Town of Franconia - December 31, 1988**

Showing Annual Maturities of Outstanding Long Term Notes & Bonds

No Outstanding Debt

# **AUDITOR'S REPORT**

## **NORTH COUNTRY FINANCIAL SERVICES**

**P.O. Box 392, Franconia, NH 03580  
(603) 823-7186**

**Board of Selectmen  
Town of Franconia  
Main Street  
Franconia, NH 03580**

I have examined the reports and accounts from the Board of Selectmen, Tax Collector, Town Clerk, Treasurer, Trustees of the Trust Funds, Franconia and Franconia-Mittersill Water Departments and the Abbie Greenleaf Library of the Town of Franconia for the year ended December 31, 1988. My examination was made in accordance with the New Hampshire code of Administration Rules Rev. 505.01 through 505.09 and generally accepted auditing standards as I deemed necessary in the circumstances.

In my opinion, these reports and accounts present fairly the financial position and the results of operations of the Town of Franconia for the year ended December 31, 1988.

**Ralph Brigida, Auditor  
February 8, 1989**

**TOWN CLERK'S REPORT**  
**for year ending December 31, 1988**

Motor Vehicle Registrations	\$68,488.00
Motor Vehicle Titles	100.00
Filing Fees	11.00
Dog Licenses	460.00
Marriage Licenses	220.00
Copies of Certificates	
Death	267.00
Birth	15.00
Marriage	18.00
IRS Filings	40.00
UCC Filings	288.00
Document Search	40.00
State-UC Filings	8.00
Return Postage	3.66
Bad Check Charges	10.00
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	\$69,968.66

**TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT  
SUMMARY OF WARRANTS**  
Levy of 1988 - Property & Resident Taxes

DEBITS

Taxes Committed to Collector		
Property Taxes	\$1,247,887.59	
Resident Taxes	6,270.00	
National Bank Stock Tax	7.50	
Land Use Change Tax	<u>3,634.30</u>	\$1,257,799.39
Interest Collected on Property Taxes	1,283.80	
Bad Check Charges	20.00	
Overpayment of Property Taxes	2,637.48	
Resident Tax Penalties Collected	<u>14.00</u>	<u>3,955.28</u>
TOTAL DEBITS		\$1,261,754.67

CREDITS

Remittances to Treasurer		
Property Taxes	\$989,586.97	
Resident Taxes	4,700.00	
National Bank Stock Tax	7.50	
Land Use Change Taxes	3,634.30	
Interest Collected	1,283.80	
Bad Check Charges	20.00	
Overpayments	2,637.48	
Resident Tax Penalties	<u>14.00</u>	1,001,884.05
Uncollected Taxes (per Collector's List)		
Property Taxes	258,300.62	
Resident Taxes	<u>1,570.00</u>	<u>259,870.62</u>
TOTAL CREDITS		\$1,261,754.67

# SUMMARY OF WARRANTS

## Levy of 1987 - Property & Resident Taxes

### DEBITS

Uncollected Taxes - January 1, 1988		
Property Taxes	\$159,509.04	
Resident Taxes	<u>1,410.00</u>	\$160,919.04
Overpayments - Property Taxes		103.95
Interest Collected - Property Taxes		2,191.32
Costs Collected		396.00
Penalties - Resident Taxes		<u>31.00</u>
TOTAL DEBITS		\$163,641.31

### CREDITS

Remittances to Treasurer		
Property Taxes	\$ 62,998.98	
Resident Taxes	410.00	
Overpayments	103.95	
Interest Collected	2,191.32	
Costs Collected	396.00	
Resident Tax Penalties Collected	<u>31.00</u>	\$ 66,131.25
Abatements		
Property Taxes	707.63	
Resident Taxes	320.00	
Uncollected Taxes		
Property Taxes (to Tax Lien)	95,802.43	
Resident Taxes (per Collector's List)	<u>680.00</u>	<u>97,510.06</u>
TOTAL CREDITS		\$163,641.31

## SUMMARY OF WARRANTS

### Levy of 1986 - Resident Taxes

#### DEBITS

Uncollected Taxes - January 1, 1988	
Resident Taxes	\$340.00
Penalties Collected on Resident Taxes	<u>2.00</u>
TOTAL DEBITS	\$342.00

#### CREDITS

Remittances to Treasurer	
Resident Taxes	\$ 30.00
Resident Tax Penalties	<u>2.00</u>
Abatements - Resident Taxes	260.00
Uncollected Resident Taxes	
per Collector's list	<u>50.00</u>
TOTAL CREDITS	\$342.00

## SUMMARY OF WARRANTS

### Levy of 1985 - Resident Taxes

#### DEBITS

Uncollected Taxes - January 1, 1988	
Resident Taxes	<u>\$ 70.00</u>
TOTAL DEBITS	\$ 70.00

#### CREDITS

Abatements - Resident Taxes	\$ 50.00
Uncollected Resident Taxes	
per Collector's list	<u>20.00</u>
TOTAL CREDITS	\$ 70.00

## SUMMARY OF WARRANTS

### Levy of 1984 - Resident Taxes

#### DEBITS

Uncollected Taxes - January 1, 1988	
Resident Taxes	\$ 10.00
Penalties Collected on Resident Taxes	<u>1.00</u>
TOTAL DEBITS	\$11.00

#### CREDITS

Remittances to Treasurer	
Resident Taxes	\$ 10.00
Resident Tax Penalties	<u>1.00</u>
TOTAL CREDITS	\$ 11.00



# SUMMARY OF TAX SALE/LIEN ACCOUNTS

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1988

## DEBITS

	1987	1986	1985
Balance of Unredeemed Taxes 1/1/88	\$	\$72,416.40	\$56,889.35
Taxes to lien, current FY	95,802.43		
Interest & Costs to Lien	10,371.47		
Interest Collected after sale	201.52	535.42	19,766.85
Redemption Costs	<u>39.02</u>	<u></u>	<u>17.00</u>
TOTAL DEBITS	\$106,414.44	\$72,951.82	\$76,673.20

## CREDITS

Remittances to Treasurer			
Redemptions	\$ 8,849.70	\$ 3,406.89	\$56,293.28
Interest & Costs after sale	240.54	535.42	19,783.85
Unredeemed Taxes	<u>97,324.20</u>	<u>69,009.51</u>	<u>596.07</u>
TOTAL CREDITS	\$106,414.44	\$72,951.82	\$76,673.20

# UNREDEEMED TAXES FROM TAX SALE/LIEN

	1987	1986	1985
Chick, Robert	\$ 58.16	\$ 72.18	\$ 76.06
Franconia Development Corp.	88,101.69	65,202.29	
Franconia Resorts	1,836.35		
Graham, Laurence	506.43		
Lally, Christopher	2,547.86		
Mancino, Sally	117.37		
McKenzie, Joel & Karen	17.86	3,242.56	
Shalek, Berdonna	24.80		
Splude, Katherine	1,111.23		
Stroup, George & Kimberly	196.38		
Thompson, Robert	447.79		
Walscott, Inc.	589.06	492.48	520.01
Wessels, Estate of Martha	442.70		
Wetenhall, John	<u>1,326.52</u>	<u></u>	<u></u>
	\$97,324.20	\$69,009.51	\$596.07

# TREASURER'S REPORT

## NOW CHECKING ACCOUNT

Balance January 1, 1988		\$ 53,647.76
Receipts:		
Town Clerk	\$ 69,968.66	
Tax Collector	1,157,167.98	
Selectmen	125,690.72	
State of New Hampshire	78,727.67	
United States Treasury	5,161.00	
Revenue Sharing Fund	3,031.89	
Interest Earned	1,627.80	
CHOICE Account Interest Transferred	<u>4,243.78</u>	1,445,619.50
Loan Proceeds		650,000.00
Transfers from CHOICE Account		690,800.00
Disbursements		2,142,994.38
Transfers to CHOICE Account		<u>636,000.00</u>
Balance December 31, 1988		\$ 61,072.88

## CHOICE ACCOUNT

Balance January 1, 1988		\$ 56,749.02
Receipts:		
Deposits from NOW Account	636,000.00	
Interest Earned	<u>4,243.78</u>	640,243.78
Disbursements		
Transfers to NOW Account	695,043.78	
Service Charges	<u>11.50</u>	<u>695,055.28</u>
Balance December 31, 1988		\$ 1,937.52

## REVENUE SHARING FUNDS

Balance January 1, 1988	\$ 2,876.04
Interest Earned	155.85
Withdrawal	<u>3,031.89</u>
Balance December 31, 1988	-0-

## LAND USE FUND

Balance January 1, 1988	\$20,200.21
1988 Appropriation	1,000.00
Interest Earned	<u>1,093.64</u>
Balance December 31, 1988	\$22,293.85

## YIELD TAX ESCROW ACCOUNT

Balance January 1, 1988	\$ 3,195.20
Interest Earned	<u>167.44</u>
Balance December 31, 1988	\$ 3,362.64

## ROBERT C. McLACHLIN MEMORIAL FUND

Balance January 1, 1988	\$ -0-
Deposits	1,595.80
Interest Earned	<u>19.00</u>
Balance December 31, 1988	\$ 1,614.80

## SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

Cash on Hand January 1, 1988	\$ 110,396.78
Office of Tax Collector	1,157,167.98
Office of Town Clerk	69,968.66
Office of Selectmen	
United States Treasury	5,161.00
State of New Hampshire	78,727.67
Revenue Sharing	3,031.89
Receipts and Reimbursements	125,690.72
Interest Earned	<u>5,871.58</u>
Sub-Total	\$1,556,016.28
Temporary Loan Proceeds	650,000.00
Transfers Between Accounts	<u>690,800.00</u>
Total	\$2,896,816.28

## DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

Cash on Hand January 1, 1988	\$ 110,396.78
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### OFFICE OF TAX COLLECTOR

Levy of 1988		
Property Taxes	\$989,586.97	
Resident Taxes	4,700.00	
National Bank Stock Tax	7.50	
Land Use Change Tax	<u>3,634.30</u>	997,928.77

Previous Years		
Property Taxes	62,998.98	
Resident Taxes	<u>450.00</u>	63,448.98

Other		
Tax Sales Redeemed	68,549.87	
Interest and Costs After Sale	20,599.81	
Interest	3,475.12	
Overpayments	2,741.43	
Resident Tax Penalties	48.00	
Bad Check Charges	20.00	
Costs Collected	<u>396.00</u>	95,790.23

### OFFICE OF TOWN CLERK

Motor Vehicle Registrations	68,488.00	
Motor Vehicle Titles	100.00	
Filing Fees	11.00	
Dog Licenses	460.00	
Marriage Licenses	220.00	
Copies of Certificates	300.00	
IRS and UCC Filings	328.00	
Document Search	40.00	
State UC Filings	8.00	
Postage	3.66	
Bad Check Charges	<u>10.00</u>	69,968.66

### OFFICE OF SELECTMEN

United States Treasury-Federal Forest Lands		5,161.00
State of New Hampshire		
Shared Revenue Block Grant	33,038.02	
Highway Block Grant	24,247.34	
National Forest Lands	17,962.31	
State and Federal Forest Lands	<u>3,480.00</u>	78,727.67

Revenue Sharing Fund (to Town Buildings)		3,031.89
Town Officers' Expenses		
Permit Fees	995.00	
Sale of Computer Printouts	202.00	
Sale of Tax Maps	66.50	
Sale of Town Histories	270.00	
Zoning and Subdivision Regulations	70.00	
Town Report	3.50	
Copies	47.80	
Postage	1.40	
Town of Sugar Hill - Tax Bills	654.75	
Water Department - Clerical	<u>1,152.35</u>	3,463.30
Election and Registration		
Town of Easton - Newspaper Notices		58.50
Cemeteries		
Burials	525.00	
Laying Veteran's Stones	50.00	
Credit from Varney-Smith	23.66	
Trustees of Trust Funds	<u>1,933.61</u>	2,532.27
Town Buildings - Rent of Town Hall		516.50
Planning and Zoning		
Public Hearing Fees	1,375.25	
Road Inspection Fee	100.00	
Zoning and Subdivision Regulations	<u>76.00</u>	1,551.25
Police Department		
Police Coverage	1,848.49	
Accident Reports	160.00	
Pistol Permits	88.00	
Dog Fines	140.00	
Insurance Refund	264.85	
Payment for Cruiser Damage	273.92	
Photographs	9.40	
Gas and Oil	<u>25.00</u>	2,809.66
8123 Emergency Phone		
Town of Sugar Hill	198.33	
Town of Easton	<u>66.11</u>	264.44

Fire Department		
Town of Easton	1,250.00	
Four Seasons Maintenance	860.09	
Non-Emergency Coverage	273.15	
Insurance Claims	316.20	
Fire Department Refund	333.00	
Fire Prevention Materials	221.91	
Fire Reports	20.00	
Fire Patch	<u>2.00</u>	3,276.35
Fire Fighting Pay - Town of Easton		225.00
Highway Department		
Blue Cross-Blue Shield Reimbursement	2,367.64	
Franconia Water Department - Sand	516.00	
Franconia Elementary School - Gas	169.36	
David Hunt's Garage - Screenings	114.00	
Oiling Driveways - Trucks and Labor	<u>165.00</u>	3,332.00
Road Oil		600.00
Transfer Station		
Town of Sugar Hill	28,055.94	
Town of Easton	9,351.98	
State of NH - Disposal of Tires	660.00	
Recycled Glass	370.26	
Stickers	453.00	
Rapid Rubbish Removal - Telephone	<u>189.33</u>	39,080.51
Library		
Blue Cross-Blue Shield Reimbursement	2,750.88	
Fuel Oil	<u>1,138.11</u>	3,888.99
Recreation Programs		
Town of Sugar Hill	4,081.00	
Town of Easton	1,361.00	
Registration Fees	<u>2,340.50</u>	7,782.50
Legal Expenses		160.00
Street Lights - School Caution Lights		
Lafayette Lions	75.00	
Indian Head Bank North	<u>50.00</u>	125.00
Insurance		
State of NH - WC Police	150.88	
NHMA-UC Dividend	686.00	
Audit Refund	<u>2.00</u>	838.88

Retirement and Social Security		
State of NH - Police	150.88	
Audit Refund	<u>14.17</u>	165.05
Payroll Taxes Remitted		546.83
Welfare		10.00
Salvage Yard Permit		25.00
Capital Reserve Funds		
Easton Fire Contract	3,500.00	
Purchase of Cemetery Lots	550.00	
Purchase of Used Equipment	500.00	
Donations to Cemetery Fund	<u>37.00</u>	4,587.00
Payment on Debt		
Franconia Water Department	2,000.00	
Franconia-Mittersill Water Department	4,775.00	
The Frost Place	<u>262.49</u>	7,037.49
Equipment Reserve Fund		
Fire Department Equipment Van	14,200.00	
Police Cruiser	11,924.20	
Highway Pull Sweeper	<u>6,690.00</u>	32,814.20
State of NH - Homeless Grant (Bancroft House)		10,000.00
INTEREST EARNED		<u>5,871.58</u>
Sub-Total		\$1,556,016.28
TEMPORARY LOAN PROCEEDS		650,000.00
TRANSFERS BETWEEN ACCOUNTS		<u>690,800.00</u>
Total		\$2,896,816.28



## SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

### GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 11,393.00
Town Clerk's Fees	2,244.00
Town Officers' Expenses	40,834.59
Election and Registration	1,568.25
Cemeteries	7,514.31
Town Buildings	29,484.75
Reappraisal of Property	3,600.00
Planning and Zoning	8,630.20
Legal Expenses	4,088.03
Advertising and Regional Associations	6,177.00

### PUBLIC SAFETY

Police Department	71,475.26
8123 Emergency Phone	4,421.29
Fire Department	36,700.28
Fire Fighting Pay	3,672.00

### HIGHWAYS, STREETS AND BRIDGES

Town Maintenance	52,035.18
General Expenses of Highway Department	53,838.18
Street Lighting	18,230.66
Road Oil	11,970.66

### SANITATION

Transfer Station	89,087.24
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### HEALTH

Health Officer's Expenses	402.50
Health and Hospital Appropriations	5,237.00

### WELFARE

General Assistance	1,720.00
Community Action Program	250.00

### CULTURE AND RECREATION

Library	11,773.99
Recreation Programs	15,968.05
Town Museums	2,484.43

DEBT SERVICE	
Interest Expense	18,584.12
Tax Anticipation Notes	650,000.00
PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS	
School Tax	763,510.00
County Tax	104,378.00
State of New Hampshire	196.50
CAPITAL RESERVE FUND EXPENDITURES	32,814.20
ABATEMENTS AND REFUNDS	2,734.53
PAYMENT TO TOWN TREASURER	1,000.00
PAYMENTS TO TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS	11,787.00
INSURANCE	15,469.53
RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY	12,731.93
MISCELLANEOUS PAYMENTS	<u>34,987.72</u>
Sub-Total	\$2,142,994.38
TRANSFERS TO INVESTMENT ACCOUNTS	<u>636,000.00</u>
Total	\$2,778,994.38

## DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

### TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

Selectmen		
Bruce Bunker	\$ 2,000.00	
Sally Small	1,500.00	
Robert Ball	1,166.50	
Ronald Hunt	666.50	
George Martin	<u>500.00</u>	\$ 5,833.00
Tax Collector		
Trina Luce		3,000.00
Town Clerk		
Trina Luce		1,560.00
Treasurer		
Christine Peabody		<u>1,000.00</u>
Sub-Total		\$ 11,393.00

### TOWN CLERK'S FEES

Trina Luce	\$ 2,244.00
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### TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

County Officials' Fees		\$ 143.39
Wages		
Ruth Vaill	18,149.82	
Katherine Whitcomb	7,195.50	
Christopher Brooks	<u>50.00</u>	25,395.32
Association Dues		447.00
Insurance - NHMA		3,056.75
Auditor's Fee		1,562.50
Postage		1,381.27
Computer Costs		2,049.67
Town Report		1,178.90
Tax Maps		652.40
Telephone		626.55
New Copy Machine		1,595.00
Services and Supplies		<u>2,745.84</u>
Sub-Total		\$ 40,834.59

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

Moderator	\$	210.00
Supervisors of the Checklist		700.00
Ballot Clerks		391.25
Ballots		100.00
Newspaper Notices		<u>167.00</u>
Sub-Total	\$	1,568.25

CEMETERIES

Wages-Edward Phillips	\$	6,031.62
Equipment Rental		550.00
Electricity		70.22
Services and Supplies		<u>862.47</u>
Sub-Total	\$	7,514.31

TOWN BUILDINGS

Wages		
Edward Phillips	15,127.04	
Edmond Michaud	<u>52.00</u>	\$ 15,179.04
Insurance		
NHMA	2,750.88	
Franconia Insurance Agency	<u>888.00</u>	3,638.88
Building Maintenance		
Fuel Oil	2,586.14	
Electricity	1,465.23	
Boiler Repair (incl. Revenue Sharing)	<u>3,876.60</u>	7,927.97
Uniforms		156.00
Services and Supplies		<u>2,582.86</u>
Sub-Total	\$	29,484.75

REAPPRAISAL OF PROPERTY	\$	3,600.00
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PLANNING AND ZONING

Wages-Katharine Didier	\$	2,586.29
Postage		243.66
Legal Fees		
Zoning Board of Adjustment:		
Moulton vs. Town (Sno-Engineering)	1,431.72	
Hamblin (Garnet Hill)	309.25	
Planning Board:		
BFG (Condo-Hotel)	3,007.30	
General Matters	<u>220.00</u>	4,968.27

Consultant Fees	325.00	
Notices and Publications	290.50	
Miscellaneous (Copies and Supplies)	<u>216.48</u>	

Sub-Total	\$	8,630.20
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#### LEGAL EXPENSES

General Matters		
Moulton Law Firm	2,626.65	
Nighswander Law Office	<u>1,461.38</u>	\$ <u>4,088.03</u>

#### ADVERTISING AND REGIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

Chamber of Commerce	5,000.00	
North Country Council	<u>1,177.00</u>	\$ <u>6,177.00</u>

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT

Wages		
Robert Malesky	21,947.12	
Joel Peabody	8,405.25	
Dana Johnson	6,685.25	
Margaret Miles	3,322.00	
Michael Stevens	1,116.00	
Mark Montminy	611.27	
Michael Devine	525.50	
David Miller	339.50	
Duane Cross	232.50	
David Moser	198.00	
Jeffrey Stiegler	99.00	
Linda Dunn	77.00	
Steven LaDuke	72.00	
Douglas Glover	<u>21.00</u>	\$ <u>43,651.39</u>

Insurance		
NHMA	679.40	
Franconia Insurance Agency	<u>3,872.60</u>	4,552.00

Uniforms	2,239.81	
Building Maintenance	522.94	
Radio and Radar Expenses	2,337.35	
Cruiser Maintenance and Expenses	7,351.47	
Office Supplies	985.90	
Telephone	800.71	
Photographs	438.75	
Badges, Patches, and Emblems	1,659.30	
Dog Control	389.91	

New Equipment		
Radar and Radios	4,591.50	
Camera	301.15	
Desks	519.94	
File Cabinets	<u>384.00</u>	5,796.59
Miscellaneous (Finger print kit, etc.)		<u>749.14</u>
Sub-Total		\$ 71,475.26
8123 EMERGENCY PHONE		
Grafton County Sheriffs Department		\$ 3,759.00
New England Telephone		<u>662.29</u>
Sub-Total		\$ 4,421.29
FIRE DEPARTMENT		
Meeting Pay and Expenses		\$ 5,422.50
Forest Fire Pay and Expenses		806.75
Association Dues		673.21
Training		148.50
Insurance		8,143.40
Expenses Reimbursed		553.52
Building Maintenance		5,065.73
Radio Expenses		2,154.51
Vehicles and Equipment		8,113.23
Telephone		415.03
Services and Supplies		807.68
Life Squad		1,111.04
New Equipment		
Radios	795.00	
Equipment for New Truck	1,145.80	
Water Pump	606.00	
Hose	196.00	
Body Transfer to New Truck	<u>542.38</u>	<u>3,285.18</u>
Sub-Total		\$ 36,700.28
FIRE FIGHTING PAY		\$ 3,672.00
TOWN MAINTENANCE		
David Hunt		\$ 20,963.66
Louis Sanborn		16,240.38
Edmond Michaud		<u>14,831.14</u>
Sub-Total		\$ 52,035.18

GENERAL EXPENSES OF HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Insurance		
NHMA	10,835.52	
Franconia Insurance Agency	<u>7,880.00</u>	\$ 18,715.52
Building Maintenance		2,953.08
Gas, Diesel, Oil and Lubes		6,928.02
Sand, Gravel, and Salt		4,762.52
Vehicles and Equipment		4,283.42
New Tires		5,380.05
Equipment Rental		5,820.00
Uniforms		1,020.05
Telephone		372.56
Radio Expenses		98.40
Services and Supplies		<u>3,504.56</u>
Sub-Total		\$ 53,838.18

STREET LIGHTING

Street Lights	17,710.40	
School Caution Lights	<u>520.26</u>	\$ <u>18,230.66</u>

ROAD OIL		\$ 11,970.66
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TRANSFER STATION

Wages		
Garold Miller	6,153.05	
John Nelson	6,120.00	
Christopher Brooks	754.00	
Edmond Michaud	<u>126.00</u>	\$ <u>13,153.05</u>
Landfill Costs - Compactor		
Leete-Powers Landfill	21,298.28	
Newbury Waste Management	<u>5,991.73</u>	27,290.01
Hauling Costs-Compactor		
Rapid Rubbish Removal		14,550.00
Transfer Station Operation Contract		
Rapid Rubbish Removal		9,738.05
Transfer Station Cleanup Prior to Fees		
Demolition Debris, etc.		
Rapid Rubbish Removal	2,297.00	
Leete-Powers Landfill	1,345.00	
Burn Pile		
Rapid Rubbish Removal	7,040.00	
David Hunt's Garage	800.00	
Tires		
Rapid Rubbish Removal	5,280.00	
David Hunt's Garage	200.00	

Metal		
Hunt's Auto Center	<u>3,220.00</u>	20,182.00
Insurance - MNHMA		2,302.64
Electricity		805.82
Telephone		276.87
Newspaper Notices		173.80
Stickers		495.60
Miscellaneous		<u>119.40</u>
Sub-Total		\$ 89,087.24
HEALTH OFFICER'S EXPENSES		\$ 402.50
HEALTH SERVICES		
Ross Ambulance Service	1,170.00	
North Country Home Health Agency	1,462.00	
White Mt. Mental Health Services	1,150.00	
Littleton Hospital	500.00	
Grafton County Senior Citizens Council	<u>955.00</u>	\$ <u>5,237.00</u>
WELFARE		
General Assistance	1,720.00	
Community Action Program	<u>250.00</u>	\$ <u>1,970.00</u>
LIBRARY		
Appropriation	6,500.00	
Insurance		
NHMA	2,750.88	
Franconia Insurance Agency	985.00	
Fuel Oil	1,138.11	
Book Appropriation	<u>400.00</u>	\$ <u>11,773.99</u>
RECREATION PROGRAMS		
Little League		
Supplies	788.89	
Insurance	<u>327.40</u>	\$ 1,116.29
Summer Recreation Program		
Wages	5,340.00	
Payroll Taxes	453.36	
Insurance	449.90	
Bus Rental	1,479.20	
Pool Rental	1,000.00	
Supplies, etc.	<u>905.94</u>	9,628.40



Skating Rinks		
Icemaking	3,050.00	
Rink Maintenance	865.50	
Electricity	614.20	
Gas	620.66	
Insurance	<u>73.00</u>	<u>5,223.36</u>
Sub-Total		\$ 15,968.05
TOWN MUSEUMS		
McKerley Health Care Center	1,119.96	
Insurance	1,299.44	
Electricity	<u>65.03</u>	<u>\$ 2,484.43</u>
DEBT SERVICE		
Interest Expense	18,584.12	
Tax Anticipation Notes	<u>650,000.00</u>	<u>\$ 668,584.12</u>
PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS		
School Tax		
Lafayette Regional School District	443,271.00	
Profile School District	<u>320,239.00</u>	\$ 763,510.00
Grafton County		104,378.00
State of New Hampshire		<u>196.50</u>
Sub-Total		\$ 868,084.50
CAPITAL RESERVE FUND EXPENDITURES		
Fire Department-Ford Cab & Chassis	14,200.00	
Police Department-Ford Cruiser	11,924.20	
Highway Department-Pull Sweeper	<u>6,690.00</u>	<u>\$ 32,814.20</u>
ABATEMENTS AND REFUNDS		\$ 2,734.53
PAYMENT TO TOWN TREASURER		
Land Use Fund		\$ 1,000.00
PAYMENTS TO TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS		
Cemetery Funds		
Purchase of Cemetery Lots	550.00	
Donations	<u>37.00</u>	\$ 587.00
Equipment Reserve Fund		
Easton Fire Contract	3,500.00	
Purchase of Used Equipment	<u>700.00</u>	4,200.00

Bridge Reserve Fund	2,000.00	
Reassessment Reserve Fund	<u>5,000.00</u>	
Sub-Total		\$ 11,787.00
INSURANCE		
Workers Compensation - NHMA	7,035.50	
Unemployment Compensation - NHMA	936.03	
Public Officials' Bond - Franconia Ins.	830.00	
Commercial Package - Franconia Ins.	5,668.00	
Professional Liability - Alex. & Alex.	<u>1,000.00</u>	\$ <u>15,469.53</u>
RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY		
NH Retirement System	1,352.43	
FICA	<u>11,379.50</u>	\$ <u>12,731.93</u>
MISCELLANEOUS PAYMENTS		
Bancroft House - Homeless Grant	10,000.00	
Bethlehem Property Tax	4,201.43	
Payroll Taxes - Frost Place	546.83	
Article 9: Tri-Town Maps	4,306.00	
Article 11: Shared Services/Bldg. Insp.	325.00	
Article 12: Handicap Ramp	3,987.06	
Article 13: Frost Place Repairs	5,500.00	
Article 15: Underground Storage Tank	<u>6,121.40</u>	\$ <u>34,987.72</u>
		\$2,142,994.38
TRANSFERS TO INVESTMENT ACCOUNTS		<u>636.000.00</u>
Total Payments		\$2,778,994.38

## VALUATION OF FIRE DEPARTMENT EQUIPMENT

Equipment	Purchase Price	Present Value	Life in Years	Depreciation For Year
1988 Ford Equipment Van	\$20,000.00	\$18,000.00	10	\$2,000.00
1982 Chev. Res. Van	20,000.00	8,000.00	10	2,000.00
1979 Ford Attack Pump	40,000.00	12,500.00	16	2,500.00
1973 Mack Diesel Att. Pumper	34,500.00	-0-	15	-0-
Scott Air Packs	3,600.00	2,180.00	10	360.00
3000' 2½" 1000' 1½" Hose	5,275.00	-0-	20	-0-
Protective Gear	3,000.00	2,625.00	8	375.00
Breathing Apparatus	2,840.00	-0-	-	-0-
Fittings, tools, extinguishers and lights	4,810.00	-0-	-	-0-
4" Hose & Fittings	7,800.00	-0-	10	-0-
1987 Defibrillator	4,920.00	2,952.00	5	984.00
Communications Equipment:				
Mobile Radios	7,500.00	-0-	-	-0-
Beepers	6,300.00	-0-	-	-0-
Portable Radios	7,000.00	-0-	-	-0-
Base Station	2,500.00	-0-	-	-0-
1988 Beepers (4)	1,200.00	1,000.00	6	200.00
1988 Portable	1,000.00	900.00	10	100.00

## VALUATION OF HIGHWAY EQUIPMENT

Equipment	Purchase Price	Present Value	Life in Years	Depreciation For Year
1988 Pull Sweeper	\$ 6,700.00	\$ 5,584.00	6	\$1,116.00
1985 GMC Truck	35,000.00	21,000.00	10	3,500.00
1985 Highway Sweeper	12,000.00	4,000.00	6	2,000.00
1984 Chev. Truck	18,600.00	-0-	4	4,650.00
1982 Mack Truck	59,000.00	23,600.00	10	5,900.00
1986 Spreader	2,975.00	1,490.00	6	495.00
1982 Spreader	7,500.00	-0-	6	1,250.00
1979 Spreader	6,000.00	-0-	6	-0-
1986 Gravely Tractor	3,900.00	2,730.00	10	390.00
1978 Kabota Tractor	5,000.00	-0-	10	-0-
1976 Sandpiper Screener	15,000.00	5,250.00	20	750.00
1976 Fiat-Allis Loader	48,000.00	5,600.00	15	3,200.00
1973 Bombardier Plow	8,370.00	-0-	10	-0-
1969 Galeon Grader	32,000.00	-0-	16	-0-
Radios	4,400.00	2,820.00	10	440.00
Compressor, Garage Equipment	2,200.00	-0-	10	-0-
Welder and Culvert Pump	2,000.00	1,000.00	10	200.00

## VALUATION OF POLICE EQUIPMENT

Equipment	Purchase Price	Present Value	Life in Years	Depreciation For Year
1988 Ford Cruiser	\$12,000.00	\$8,000.00	3	\$4,000.00
1986 Ford Cruiser	12,000.00	3,000.00	4	3,000.00
1988 Radio (car)	1,750.00	1,575.00	10	175.00
1988 Radio (Cruiser)	800.00	720.00	10	80.00
1988 Radios (2) Portable	1,600.00	1,440.00	10	160.00
Cruiser Radio	1,300.00	310.00	10	130.00
Portable Radios (2)	2,000.00	-0-	10	200.00
1988 Camera	300.00	240.00	5	60.00
1988 Blue Lights	700.00	630.00	10	70.00
Guns, Sirens, Lights	1,200.00	840.00	10	120.00
Radar Gun	1,450.00	870.00	5	290.00
Miscellaneous Equipment	3,000.00	2,400.00	5	600.00
Desks (2)	520.00	468.00	10	52.00
File Cabinets (2)	384.00	346.00	10	38.00
1985 Typewriter	400.00	-0-	4	100.00
1983 Copier	1,600.00	600.00	8	200.00
Video Camera		400.00	2	200.00

## VALUATION OF OFFICE EQUIPMENT

Equipment	Purchase Price	Present Value	Life in Years	Depreciation For Year
1986 Typewriter	\$ 400.00	\$ 200.00	4	\$100.00
1986 Computer	9,000.00	6,300.00	10	900.00
1988 Copier	1,600.00	1,280.00	5	320.00

## VALUATION OF TRANSFER STATION EQUIPMENT

Equipment	Purchase Price	Present Value	Life in Years	Depreciation For Year
1985 Trash Compactor	\$20,000.00 (60%)	\$12,000.00	10	\$2,000.00



## TOWN MEETING WARRANT

Franconia Town Hall  
March 14, 1989 - 7:30 PM

Polls open from 1:00 PM to 8:00 PM

**ARTICLE 1.** To choose all necessary Town Officers for the ensuing year. (*By ballot*).

**ARTICLE 2.** To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray Town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same, as set forth in the following budget:

Town Officers' Salaries .....	\$ 11,600.00
Town Officers' Expenses .....	40,500.00
Election and Registration .....	650.00
Cemeteries .....	8,000.00
Town Buildings & Grounds .....	27,500.00
Reappraisal of Property .....	4,000.00
Land Use Change Appraisals .....	5,000.00
Planning & Zoning .....	7,100.00
Legal Expenses .....	4,200.00

Chamber of Commerce .....	5,000.00
North Country Council .....	1,177.00
Police Department .....	77,300.00
8123 Emergency Phone .....	5,950.00
Fire Department .....	38,845.00
Fire Fighting Pay .....	3,600.00
Town Maintenance - Highway .....	57,750.00
Highway Department Expenses .....	54,600.00
Street Lighting .....	19,500.00
Road Oil .....	15,000.00
Sidewalk Maintenance .....	3,000.00
Transfer Station .....	48,000.00
Health Officers' Expenses .....	500.00
Ambulance Service .....	2,500.00
North Country Home Health Agency .....	1,578.00
White Mountain Mental Health Services .....	1,147.00
Grafton County Senior Citizens Council .....	100.00
Welfare .....	2,000.00
Community Action Outreach Program .....	270.00
Library .....	4,900.00
Recreation Programs .....	8,418.00
Town Museum .....	3,250.00
Conservation Commission .....	200.00
Interest on Temporary Loans .....	12,000.00
Retirement & Social Security .....	15,600.00
Insurance (Inc. Workers' Comp.) .....	15,500.00
Reassessment Reserve Fund .....	5,000.00
Bridge Reserve Fund .....	2,000.00
Land Use Fund .....	1,000.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$514,235.00</b>

**ARTICLE 3.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200.00 for planning and preparation, purchase of materials and maintenance of landscape and town beautification work done through the Conservation Commission.

**ARTICLE 4.** To see if the Town will vote to adopt the provisions of RSA 79-A:25 and vote to place 50% of all future land use change tax revenues in a conservation fund established in accordance with RSA 36-A.

**ARTICLE 5.** To see if the Town will vote to establish a Capital Reserve Fund under the provision of RSA 35:1 for the purpose of extraordinary legal fees and expenses related to present or foreseeable litigation involving the town or its officers and employees, and to raise and appropriate the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) to be placed in this fund and to designate the Board of Selectmen as agents to expend.

**ARTICLE 6.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of six thousand dollars (\$6,000.00) for the purpose of updating the Town's Master Plan.

**ARTICLE 7.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of three thousand six hundred dollars (\$3,600.00) to rewire the basement of the Town Building.

**ARTICLE 8.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate an additional \$4,100.00 for the Abbie Greenleaf Library to cover anticipated expenses for 1989.

**ARTICLE 9.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$2,000.00 for the Franconia Area Chamber of Commerce to cover partially the payroll expenses of an information booth attendant for 1989. (*By Petition.*)

**ARTICLE 10.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$5,893.00 for final design and permits for the proposed Mount Eustis Landfill located in Littleton to be used by the 11-town solid waste district. The Upper Grafton/Lancaster Area Solid Waste District strongly recommends this appropriation as the best long term solid waste management plan.

**ARTICLE 11.** To see if the Town will vote to accept the report of the Franconia/Sugar Hill Police Study Committee and its recommendation to establish a village district for the purposes of accomplishing a joint police department for the Towns of Sugar Hill and Franconia.

**ARTICLE 12.** To see if the Town will vote to change the number of Trustees of the Abbie Greenleaf Library from 6 to 7 in order to be in compliance with RSA 202:6. (This new law requires that the board of Trustees of any public library in New Hampshire be composed of an odd number.)

**ARTICLE 13.** To see if the Town will vote to give up all rights to a small portion of Skyline Drive across property of Yule, Bunker and Alpine Ventures, starting at the southern boundary of Yule's property, at the intersection of Skyline Drive and Oakes Road, and continuing northerly 1,262 feet.

**ARTICLE 14.** To see if the Town will vote to instruct the town's representatives to the General Court to respond to our solid waste crisis by taking all necessary measures to insure that New Hampshire adopt legislation that will permit consumers to return for refund of deposit within New Hampshire all soda, beer, wine cooler and liquor containers and that all unclaimed deposit monies shall be collected by the state and no less than 80% shall be returned annually to local municipalities for the sole purpose of implementing, expanding and reimbursing community recycling projects. (*By Petition.*)

**ARTICLE 15.** To see if the Town will send a message to the legislature and Governor calling for a comprehensive toxics transition law requiring coordinated programs of planning, research, and development, education, enforcement, and economic incentives to achieve toxics reduction by substitution with safer substances.

**ARTICLE 16.** To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

**ARTICLE 17.** To hear the reports of agents, auditors, committes, or other officers heretofore chosen and to pass any vote relative thereto.

**ARTICLE 18.** To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Bruce P. Bunker  
Sally L. Small  
Ronald A. Hunt

Selectmen of Franconia

# COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND

	Appropriation	Receipts & Reimbursements
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 11,500.00	\$ -0-
Town Officers' Expenses	38,500.00	3,463.30
Election and Registration	2,500.00	58.50
Cemeteries	8,000.00	598.66
Town Buildings (incl. Revenue Sharing)	26,000.00	3,548.39
Reappraisals of Property	2,500.00	-0-
Planning and Zoning	5,000.00	1,551.25
Legal Expenses	4,000.00	160.00
Chamber of Commerce	5,000.00	-0-
North Country Council	1,177.00	-0-
Police Department	72,000.00	2,809.66
8123 Emergency Phone	4,200.00	264.44
Fire Department inc. Forest Fires	38,400.00	3,276.35
Fire Fighting Pay	3,600.00	225.00
Town Maintenance - Highway	55,000.00	-0-
General Expenses of Highway Dept.	52,000.00	3,332.00
Street Lighting	18,500.00	125.00
Road Oil	15,000.00	600.00
Sidewalk Maintenance	3,000.00	-0-
Transfer Station	50,000.00	39,080.51
Health Officers' Expenses	1,000.00	-0-
Health Services	5,237.00	-0-
Welfare	2,000.00	10.00
Community Action Program	250.00	-0-
Library	7,700.00	3,888.99
Recreation Programs	8,163.00	7,782.50
Town Museum	3,035.00	-0-
Conservation Commission	200.00	-0-
Interest	5,000.00	5,871.58
Employees Retirement & Social Security	15,600.00	165.05
Insurance	14,400.00	838.88
Reassessment Reserve Fund	5,000.00	-0-
Bridge Reserve Fund	2,000.00	-0-
Land Use Fund	1,000.00	-0-
TOTALS	\$486,462.00	\$77,650.06



EXPENDITURES, Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1988

Total Amount Available	Expenditures	Unexpended Balances	Overdrafts
\$ 11,500.00	\$ 11,393.00	\$ 107.00	\$ -0-
41,963.30	40,834.59	1,128.71	-0-
2,558.50	1,568.25	990.25	-0-
8,598.66	7,514.31	1,084.35	-0-
29,548.39	29,484.75	63.64	-0-
2,500.00	3,600.00	-0-	1,100.00
6,551.25	8,630.20	-0-	2,078.95
4,160.00	4,088.03	71.97	-0-
5,000.00	5,000.00	-0-	-0-
1,177.00	1,177.00	-0-	-0-
74,809.66	71,475.26	3,334.40	-0-
4,464.44	4,421.29	43.15	-0-
41,676.35	36,700.28	4,976.07	-0-
3,825.00	3,672.00	153.00	-0-
55,000.00	52,035.18	2,964.82	-0-
55,332.00	53,838.18	1,493.82	-0-
18,625.00	18,230.66	394.34	-0-
15,600.00	11,970.66	3,629.34	-0-
3,000.00	-0-	3,000.00	-0-
89,080.51	89,087.24	-0-	6.73
1,000.00	402.50	597.50	-0-
5,237.00	5,237.00	-0-	-0-
2,010.00	1,720.00	290.00	-0-
250.00	250.00	-0-	-0-
11,588.99	11,773.99	-0-	185.00
15,945.50	15,968.05	-0-	22.55
3,035.00	2,484.43	550.57	-0-
200.00	-0-	200.00	-0-
10,871.58	18,584.12	-0-	7,712.54
15,765.05	12,731.93	3,033.12	-0-
15,238.88	15,469.53	-0-	230.65
5,000.00	5,000.00	-0-	-0-
2,000.00	2,000.00	-0-	-0-
1,000.00	1,000.00	-0-	-0-
\$564,112.06	\$547,342.43	\$28,106.05	\$11,336.42

# BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF FRANCONIA - REVENUE

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Estimated 1988	Actual 1988	Estimated 1989
Taxes:			
Resident Taxes	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 5,150.00	\$ 5,000.00
National Bank Stock Tax	7.50	7.50	7.50
Yield Taxes	1,500.00	-0-	1,500.00
Interest & Penalties	5,000.00	3,523.00	3,000.00
Interest on Tax Sales Redeemed	18,000.00	20,559.81	20,000.00
Land Use Change Tax	50,000.00	3,634.00	-?
Intergovernmental Revenues:			
Shared Revenue Block Grant	33,000.00	33,038.02	33,000.00
Highway Block Grant	24,247.00	24,247.34	25,303.00
State & Federal Forest Lands	3,480.00	3,480.00	3,000.00
National Forest Reserve	17,962.00	17,962.31	13,648.00
Federal Forest Lands	2,500.00	5,161.00	4,000.00
Licenses & Permits:			
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	55,000.00	68,488.00	60,000.00
Dog Licenses	300.00	460.00	400.00
Permits & Filing Fees	25.00	11.00	10.00
Other:			
Income from Departments & Reimbursements	-0-	68,656.95	-0-
Rent of Town Property	500.00	860.09	-0-
Interest on Deposits	-0-	5,871.58	-0-
Payment on Debt	7,025.00	7,037.49	6,775.00
Cemetery Care (Trust Funds)	3,000.00	1,933.61	3,000.00
TOTALS	\$226,546.50	\$270,081.70	\$178,643.50

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF FRANCONIA - EXPENDITURES

PURPOSE OF APPROPRIATION	Approp. 1988	Actual 1988 Before Reimbursement	Estimated 1989
General Government:			
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 11,500.00	\$ 11,393.00	\$ 11,600.00
Town Officers' Expenses	38,500.00	40,834.59	40,500.00
Election & Registration	2,500.00	1,568.25	650.00
Cemeteries	8,000.00	7,514.31	8,000.00
Town Buildings	26,000.00	29,484.75	27,500.00
Reappraisal of Property	2,500.00	3,600.00	4,000.00
Land Use Change Appraisals	-0-	-0-	5,000.00
Planning & Zoning	5,000.00	8,630.20	7,100.00
Legal Expenses	4,000.00	4,088.03	4,200.00
Advertising & Regional Assoc.	6,177.00	6,177.00	6,177.00
Public Safety:			
Police Department	72,000.00	71,475.26	77,300.00
8123 Emergency Phone	4,200.00	4,421.29	5,950.00
Fire Department	38,400.00	36,700.28	38,845.00
Fire Fighting Pay	3,600.00	3,672.00	3,600.00
Highways, Streets & Bridges:			
Town Maintenance	55,000.00	52,035.18	57,750.00
Highway Dept. Expenses	52,000.00	53,838.18	54,600.00
Street Lighting	18,500.00	18,230.66	19,500.00
Road Oil	15,000.00	11,970.66	15,000.00
Sidewalk Maintenance	3,000.00	-0-	3,000.00
Sanitation:			
Transfer Station	50,000.00	89,087.24	48,000.00
Health:			
Health Officer's Expenses	1,000.00	402.50	500.00
Health Services	5,237.00	5,237.00	5,325.00
Welfare:			
General Assistance	2,000.00	1,720.00	2,000.00
CAP	250.00	250.00	270.00
Culture & Recreation:			
Library	7,700.00	11,773.99	9,000.00
Recreation Programs	8,163.00	15,963.05	8,418.00
Town Museum	3,035.00	2,484.43	3,250.00
Conservation Commission	200.00	-0-	200.00

Debt Service:			
Interest on Temporary Loans	5,000.00	18,584.12	12,000.00
Employer's Ret. & Soc. Sec.	15,600.00	12,731.93	15,600.00
Insurance	14,400.00	15,469.53	15,500.00
Reassessment Reserve Fund	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00
Bridge Reserve Fund	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
Land Use Fund	<u>1,000.00</u>	<u>1,000.00</u>	<u>1,000.00</u>
TOTALS	\$486,462.00	\$547,342.43	\$518,335.00

# FRANCONIA WATER DEPARTMENT

## INCOME

Cash on Hand January 1, 1988		\$ 2,369.39
Water Rentals & Related Income	\$ 18,088.38	
Loan/Franconia-Mittersill Water Dept.	<u>35,000.00</u>	53,088.38

## EXPENDITURES

Town of Franconia, Annual Payment	\$ 2,000.00	
Payroll	109.90	
FICA	8.26	
Franconia Highway Department	516.00	
Town of Franconia: Secretarial Wages	1,020.54	
State Treasurer	20.00	
PSNH	3,155.45	
Harrison Publishing	65.00	
State Environmental Services	689.00	
Wilfred Wessels Contract Services	396.65	
MAC Enterprises	140.00	
E.J. Prescott, Inc.	13,740.03	
Dunn Geoscience	2,773.50	
GPB Mountain Contractors, Inc.	18,505.48	
Abbott Rental Service	134.41	
David Presby	698.42	
Franconia Auto Service Center	146.15	
Franconia Hardware	145.85	
David Hunt's Garage	265.00	
Franconia Village Store	17.85	
US Postal Service & Stamps	328.04	
Provan & Lorber, Inc.	4,492.25	
Robert Peckett	5,419.51	
M.A. Young	92.50	
Indian Head Bank - Stamp	<u>10.00</u>	\$54,889.79
Cash on Hand December 31, 1988		\$ 567.98

## CURRENT ASSETS

Cash on Hand	\$ 567.98	
Water Rentals Due	2,685.81	
Stock on Hand	<u>600.00</u>	<u>\$ 3,853.79</u>

## STATEMENT OF INDEBTEDNESS

January 1, 1988 - Due Town of Franconia	\$23,209.30
1988 Annual Payment	<u>2,000.00</u>
December 31, 1988 - Due Town of Franconia	21,209.30
January 1, 1989 - Due Franconia/Mittersill Water Dept.	55,000.00
Current Assets	<u>3,853.79</u>
"Total Net Worth (Deficit)"	(\$72,355.51)

## FIXED ASSETS

Water Storage Structures	\$ 38,000.00
Deep Wells	15,628.80
Mains	111,700.80
Hydrants	7,670.00
Tools & Equipment	<u>6,305.36</u>
	\$179,304.96

# FRANCONIA-MITTERSILL WATER DEPARTMENT

## INCOME

Cash on Hand January 1, 1988		\$ 25,068.01
Water Rentals	\$ 36,856.27	
Interest	<u>2,053.38</u>	<u>38,909.65</u>

## EXPENDITURES

Town of Franconia Annual Payment	\$ 4,775.00	
Payroll	104.90	
Town of Franconia, FICA	7.88	
Wages, Secretarial	131.81	
PSNH	479.43	
State Treasurer	60.00	
W. Wessels Contract Labor & Expenses	484.15	
Environmental Services Lab.	509.00	
US Postal Service	120.00	
E.E. Bigelow	739.77	
J.C. Plumbing	3,455.72	
Ray Pineo	144.10	
Franconia Water Dept./½ interest in tool	1,308.85	
Bank Charges	60.80	
Loan to Franconia Water Dept.	<u>35,000.00</u>	<u>47,381.41</u>

Cash on Hand, December 31, 1988	\$16,596.25
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## CURRENT ASSETS

Loans to Franconia Water Department	\$55,000.00	
Cash on Hand	16,596.25	
Water Rentals Due	<u>3,962.34</u>	<u>\$75,558.59</u>

## STATEMENT OF INDEBTEDNESS

January 1, 1988 Due Town of Franconia	\$38,200.00	
Town of Franconia Annual Payment	<u>4,775.00</u>	
December 31, 1988, Due Town of Franconia		\$33,425.00
Current Assets		<u>75,558.59</u>
Total Net Worth		\$42,133.59

## FIXED ASSETS

Water Storage Structures	\$ 77,860.00
Mains	128,685.48
Deep Wells	28,300.00
Hydrants	5,322.58
Pumps, Pump Hose & Equipment	6,350.68
Storage Shed	<u>4,000.00</u>
	\$250,518.74

# REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

	PRINCIPAL Balance Beginning of Year	Funds Added or Reinvested	Expended During Year
Common Trust Fund Investments:			
Putnam Income Fund	\$ 3,342.06	\$ 342.51	-0-
Fidelity Magellan Fund	6,637.83	108.06	-0-
United Saver Bancorp (stock)	8,550.00		(\$ 5,250.00)
Northeast Investors Trust	-0-	5,713.13	-0-
Savers Bank - CD	16,176.56		( 16,176.56)
Hillsborough Bank & Trust	-0-	16,727.32	-0-
Peoples National Bank	5,174.85	2,497.71	( 6,879.26)
Peoples National Bank - CD	-0-	5,000.00	-0-
	<u>\$39,881.30</u>	<u>\$30,388.73</u>	<u>(\$28,305.82)</u>
Capital Reserve Funds:			
New Equipment	\$197,836.55	\$193,692.10	(\$170,937.69)
Bridge Construction	9,863.00	6,275.07	-0-
Reassessment	12,000.00	9,322.75	-0-
	<u>\$219,699.55</u>	<u>\$209,289.92</u>	<u>(\$170,937.69)</u>
Scholarship Fund	\$82,853.53	-0-	-0-
Remedial Education	\$47,992.72	\$21,160.68	(\$17,621.65)



December 31, 1988

Gains or (Loss) From Sales	Balance End of Year	INCOME		Expended During Year	Balance End of Year
		Balance Beginning of Year	Income During Year		
-0-	\$ 3,684.57	-0-	\$ 342.51	(\$ 342.51)	-0-
-0-	6,745.89	-0-	108.06	( 108.06)	-0-
(\$3,300.00)	-0-	-0-	108.00	( 108.00)	-0-
-0-	5,713.13	-0-	355.13	( 355.13)	-0-
-0-	-0-	\$591.33	1,155.14	( 1,746.47)	-0-
-0-	16,727.32	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
-0-	793.30	-0-	54.35	( 54.35)	-0-
-0-	5,000.00	-0-	353.06	-0-	\$353.06
(\$3,300.00)	\$38,664.21	\$591.33	\$2,476.25	(\$2,714.52)	\$353.06
(\$19,697.29)	\$200,893.67	\$35,144.83	\$16,839.94	(\$51,984.77)	-0-
( 1,148.07)	14,990.00	3,271.54	981.53	( 4,253.07)	-0-
( 1,665.83)	19,656.92	2,898.57	1,424.18	( 4,322.75)	-0-
(\$22,511.19)	\$235,540.59	\$41,314.94	\$19,245.65	(\$60,560.59)	-0-
-0-	\$82,853.53	\$8,524.21	\$7,118.00	(\$8,600.00)	\$7,042.21
(\$2,981.37)	\$48,550.38	\$77.58	\$3,738.90	(\$3,804.81)	\$11.67

Fred W. Griffin, Trustee  
Barbara D. Barrand, Trustee  
John H. Lyman, Trustee

# ABBIE GREENLEAF LIBRARY

## Receipts and Disbursements for the Year ended December 31, 1988

Balance in Checking Account 1/1/88	\$ 718.73
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Receipts

Greenleaf Fund	\$2,144.83
Grimes Fund	2,312.09
*Town of Franconia Appropriation	6,900.00
C.D. Funds	9,574.09
Priest Fund IH-N	3,200.00
Interest on Checking Account	121.03
Reimbursements for lost or damaged books, Memorial or other gifts, etc.	1,736.51

Total Receipts	\$25,988.55
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Expenditures

Books, Publications, Tapes, Records	4,446.43
Librarian's Salary	9,799.92
Library Assistants	2,329.12
Payroll Taxes	1,080.53
Programs	99.54
Library Supplies	304.71
Oil	1,345.99
Electricity	880.00
Telephone	459.59
Water	48.00
Postage	48.60
Dues	40.00
Janitor	2,473.72
Janitorial Supplies	12.33
**Fire Insurance and Bond	100.00
Bookkeeper	580.00
Library Mileage	51.00
Training	150.00
Repairs	156.55

Total Expenditures	\$24,406.03
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Balance in Checking Account 12/31/88	\$ 2,301.25
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\*Under Article 7 \$4700, (this includes \$800 paid by town for building insurance); under Article 14 \$3000.

\*\*Fire insurance bill, estimated at \$1,090.00, not received by 12/31/88.

**ABBIE GREENLEAF LIBRARY**  
**Report of Funds, Checking Accounts, & Income Earned Thereon**

For the Year Ended December 31, 1988

	PRINCIPAL	INCOME
Harry W. & May H. Priest Fund:		
Indian Head Bank North;		
Certificate of Deposit Maturing 9/29/89	\$ 32,826.00	\$ 2,476.19
Certificate of Deposit Maturing 9/29/90	32,826.01	2,476.19
Certificate of Deposit Matured 1/4/88 - \$50,000.00		287.44
Trust Fund	51,395.88	3,200.00
Peoples Bank;		
Certificate of Deposit Maturing 1/4/91	<u>50,000.00</u>	<u>3,752.11</u>
Total Priest Fund	\$167,047.89	\$12,191.93
Other:		
Grimes Estate		\$ 2,312.09
Greenleaf Estate		2,144.83
Schaffer Fund - Indian Head Bank North		
Certificate of Deposit Matured 1/4/88 - \$10,000.00		582.16
Peoples Bank Maturing 1/4/91	10,000.00	
Indian Head North Checking Account	<u>2,301.25</u>	<u>121.03</u>
Total Other	\$ 12,301.25	\$ 5,160.11
Total All	\$179,349.14	\$17,352.04

**ABBIE GREENLEAF LIBRARY - LIBRARIAN'S REPORT**

Petty Cash			
Balance on Hand 12/31/87		\$ 7.46	
Receipts:			
Book Sales		27.35	
Copy Service		195.15	
Fines		74.28	
Non-Resident Fees		<u>41.00</u>	\$345.24
Expenditures:			
Office Supplies		76.29	
Postage		71.01	
Children's Program		15.38	
Books		55.10	
Copier Paper		104.00	
Christmas Tree & Candy Canes		<u>12.46</u>	334.24
Balance on Hand 12/31/88			\$ 11.00

Services - Volumes Loaned		Accessions	
Adult Fiction	5245	Library Materials	
Adult Non-fiction	3881	Total 12/31/87	17,144
Juvenile Fiction	4349	Purchased 1988:	
Juvenile Non-fiction	874	Books	247
Periodicals	2635	Cassettes	31
Pamphlets	10	Puzzles	2
Films	67	Gifts:	
Cassettes	443	Books	185
Records	146	Cassettes	7
Videos	7	Records	15
Puzzles	<u>88</u>	Videos	15
Total	17,745	Puzzles	5
		Withdrawn	<u>257</u>
		Total on 12/31/88	17,394

Borrowed from NHSL	65
Borrowed from Littleton Public Library	275
Borrowed from other libraries	73
Loaned to other libraries	26
New Borrowerrs Cards	108
Total Active Borrowers	919
Paperbacks Purchased	72
Paperbacks Gift	191
Periodicals Purchased	42
Periodicals Gift	15
Newspapers	4

## FRANCONIA POLICE DEPARTMENT

During the year of 1988, there were many interesting changes in the Franconia Police Department.

The interior of the police station received a fresh coat of paint and new floor covering with new desks and file cabinets put in place. (Ed Phillips did an outstanding job.) Holding cells were converted into a supply room and an evidence room. A complete inventory of all department equipment was conducted while installing a system for maintaining and keeping it up to date. A case number and filing system has been initiated along with a daily department log. A 1988 cruiser was purchased with new radar, radio and strobe lights. A camera and fingerprinting kit have also been acquired.

The department took part in a "Say No To Drugs" program and contest with our local grammar school children. Prizes were furnished with Hayseed money and donations from Kelley's Food Store and White Mountain Concrete.

Hayseed funds were transferred into a separate account with three trustees allowing for more accountability. From this account, two new shotguns have been ordered, one for each cruiser.

Mark Montminy, our new full-time officer, was hired in December. Mark has had eight years experience as a police officer in the state of New Hampshire. The department has high hopes of hiring a third full-time officer in the near future.

The following statistics do not reflect any activity in town by any police agency other than the Franconia Police Dept. during 1988.

Criminal Cases	73
Criminal Arrests	42
Motor Vehicle Accidents	60
Motor Vehicle Arrests	67
Motor Vehicle Warnings	77
Assist Other Agencies	87
Assist Disabled Motorists	48
Domestic Complaints	12
Prowler Complaints	3
Dog Complaints	37
Bank Alarms	23
Open Doors	4
Abandoned Motor Vehicles	13
General Assistance to the Public	206
Vehicle Lockouts	35

We, the Franconia Police Department, thank the town's people for their support during 1988 and we look forward to serving you in 1989.

As Chief, I would especially like to thank my fellow officers for their dedication during the past year for a job well done.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert G. Malesky, Chief  
Franconia Police Department

## FRANCONIA FIRE DEPARTMENT

The Franconia Fire Department responded to 52 calls in 1988 which included chimney fires, brush fires, structure fires, motor vehicle fires, accidents, and an aircraft crash.

Mutual Aid was rendered to Easton, Sugar Hill, Littleton, and Twin Mountain, and was received by Franconia on two occasions.

The continuing inspection of commercial properties, and the building of a major new motel, have greatly increased the activities of the Inspection Officer.

We continue to implement fire protection programs in the school system.

All members continue to develop their skills through monthly training drills, seminars, and fire schools.

The growth experienced and anticipated in Franconia has encouraged us to look at future equipment needs which may include, but may not necessarily be limited to, the purchase of an aerial ladder truck, and the replacement of our attack pumper within the next five years.

Please call our emergency number 8123 if assistance is needed.

Respectfully submitted,

William L. Mead, Sr., Chief

FRANCONIA LIFE SQUAD

The Life Squad once again has had a very busy year. We started in January with a monthly recertification program which is required to maintain our Emergency Medical Technician status. We helped host the Hayseed 88 Bluegrass Festival again which was a success even though for the first time it rained on us. We also provided medical support for the Rugby Tournament.

Through the support of Sugar Hill and Easton this year we were able to purchase many new items for the squad including new paging equipment.

Our yearly activity totaled 71 patients. The breakdown is as follows:

Chronic Medical Problems	12
Emergency Medical Problems	16
Motor Vehicle Accidents	26
Death by Natural Causes	1
Dry Runs	0
Household Emergencies	3
Athletic/Recreation Accidents	5
Dog Bites	1
Drug, Alcohol, Emotional, Poisons	5
Smoke Inhalation	0
Airplane Accidents	2
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Total	71

Breakdown of patients per Town:

Franconia	47
Easton	7
Sugar Hill	15
Bethlehem	2
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Total	71

Once again I wish to thank the Squad members for their devotion and hard work in making the Life Squad an asset to the communities of Franconia, Easton, and Sugar Hill. I also wish to thank the towns for their support of this organization.

Respectfully submitted,  
  
Joel N. Peabody, Chief  
Franconia Life Squad

## RECREATION PROGRAM

### Summer Recreation Program

The summer program, under the direction of Karen Smith, had a very successful season. Jeannie Serino returned as the swimming instructor and helped 90 children improve their aquatic skills. Jennifer Larabee and Karen, with the aid of Jennifer Peters, brought many new activities to the program, so the enrollment increased as the season progressed. The Sugar Loafs, Zealand and other peaks were scaled, Ruggles Mine was explored, the Bike Path was mastered, and rafts were afloat on the lower falls of the Ammonoosuc River. The season ended with a trip to the Whale's Tale, the Granby Zoo, and a successful presentation of "Fairy Island", written and performed by the children.

	1988 Expenses	1989 Budget
Salaries	\$ 5,340.00	\$ 6,400.00
Workers Comp., S.S. & Unemployment Comp.	593.26	600.00
Bus Rental	1,479.20	1,800.00
Pool Rental	1,000.00	1,000.00
Insurance	310.00	350.00
Miscellaneous	905.94	100.00
	\$ 9,628.40	\$10,250.00

### Summer Baseball Program

Dave Sullivan directed another successful baseball season. The Little League team, led by Coaches Jeff Hultgren and Greg Connors, captured the Tri-Town All Star Championship for the third consecutive year, and brought the trophy home for keeps. Hal Tuttle ran another successful girls' softball season, and Lyn McIntosh managed two full farm-league teams.

	1988 Expenses	1989 Budget
Equipment	\$ 706.89	\$ 925.00
Insurance	327.40	325.00
Miscellaneous	82.00	150.00
	\$ 1,116.29	\$ 1,400.00

### Winter Recreation Program

The ice hockey teams had successful seasons this year. The Franconia Flyers, under the direction of Coach Barry Field and Assistant Coach Dave Wood finished the regular season in first place and captured second place in the final tournament in Berlin. The younger team, coached by Jim Cavanaugh, added ten new skaters and looks forward to a winning '89 season. The rink was painted by the Lafayette Lions Club and Cub Scout Pack 217 this fall and looks great.



	<b>1988</b>	<b>1989</b>
	<b>Expenses</b>	<b>Budget</b>
Labor & Maintenance	\$ 3,915.50	\$ 2,500.00
Insurance	73.00	80.00
Gas & Electricity	1,234.86	1,500.00
Miscellaneous (repairs)		600.00
Rink Supervision		500.00
	<u>\$ 5,223.36</u>	<u>\$ 5,180.00</u>
 GRAND TOTAL	 <u>\$15,968.05</u>	 <u>\$16,830.00</u>

#### INCOME

	<b>1988</b>	<b>1989</b>
	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Proposed</b>
Franconia	\$ 8,186.05	\$ 8,418.00
Sugar Hill	4,081.50	4,209.00
Easton	1,360.50	1,403.00
Summer Enrollment Fees	<u>2,340.00</u>	<u>2,800.00</u>
	<u>\$15,968.05</u>	<u>\$16,830.00</u>

## PLANNING BOARD

The following is a summary of major matters of interest:

**Renbel Mountain Trust.** This project would cover 596 acres in Franconia, Sugar Hill and Bethlehem with 396 dwelling units. Franconia's portion would be 75 units on 120 acres. This proposal seems to be on hold since we have not heard from the developer since the original presentation in April 1988.

**BFG Contel.** The proposed project would consist of one building with 75 hotel suites including a bedroom, living room with wetbar, refrigerator, and a full bath. On September 28th the Planning Board voted to deny BFG's site plan application as not conforming to Franconia Zoning Ordinance. On October 13th, BFG petitioned the Grafton County Superior Court to reverse this decision and award damages to BFG. The town must file certified copies of its file and its response by February 3, 1989. If the judge then decides on a hearing, that date will be at the convenience of the court. Unfortunately the legal defense will add to our taxes.

On a more positive note:

**Zoning Changes.** The Board did find time to recommend a few changes in our zoning regulations and most were approved at the March 1988 Town Meeting.

**Forest Hills.** On November 29, 1988 the Planning Board approved the Forest Hills project consisting of 154 units on 231 acres to be developed in 8 phases within ten years. Phase #1 of 16 units will be ready for marketing in the spring of 1989.

**Old County Road Place.** In 1987, the Board approved this Planned Unit Development of 27 two to four acre lots on the southeasterly side of Rte. 116 just south of Bickford Hill Road. Two houses are nearing completion.

**The Village at Lovett's Inn.** Currently in process is an application by Lafayette Development Corp. for a cluster development of 93 units on 148 acres behind Lovett's Inn.

**Red Coach Inn.** A 65 unit motel with coffee shop, indoor pool and accessory shops on Wallace Hill Road is nearing completion.

Your Planning Board has a few problems we hope to address in 1989 and 1990:

1. Franconia is an attractive town to developers.
2. The Planning Board is made up of lay volunteers who are having to deal with increasingly sophisticated developers who often appear with their attorney, sometimes two, and a retinue of engineers, architects, professional planners, and even a video camera.
3. Our zoning ordinance and subdivision regulations were written and designed for a world that was far simpler and very different from the one we will face in the 1990's.
4. Our Master Plan was completed in 1980 and has not been updated.

5. The agenda of the Board's regular meetings on the 2nd and last Tuesday of each month have been concerned with routine business and public hearings with little time for the primary job of planning.

Plan and recommendations for 1989 and 1990:

1. A Master Plan Commission of approximately 25 volunteers with professional assistance from the North Country Council is already hard at work to update our 1980 Master Plan and present it to the town for approval in March 1990. This will be a map of our town's future, a comprehensive set of policies to guide growth and development, and a legally recognized foundation on which to base our ordinances and regulations.

2. Set aside approximately ½ of the regularly scheduled meeting times each month for study and revision of our zoning ordinances and regulations. It should be recognized that such a program will generate some static from both developers and town property owners who have come to expect compliance with their requests for immediate scheduling. The cost to the town of this approach would be for some assistance from the North Country Council and final review by legal counsel.

We believe this expense and the cost of the Master Plan would be more than offset by future legal defense fees if these steps are not taken.

3. Increase in various application and filing fees to make the administrative operation of the Planning Board more nearly self-supporting.

4. Support of David Schaffer's proposal for a capital reserve fund, similar to our Town Equipment Reserve Fund, for legal defense for possible future suits. The mere existence of such a fund would tend to make the less environmentally concerned developer look elsewhere to sell his wares.

We would like to thank David White for his many years as Board member and Chairman and Austin Macaulay for his long service as both regular and alternate member.

Respectfully submitted,

Frederick W. Griffin  
Chairman

## ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

The Zoning Board of Adjustment, upon application, reviews and decides on alleged errors in administrative finding, and grants variances to the Zoning Ordinance to provide relief from hardship. The Board also has the authority to grant an exception for use in keeping with certain provisions as outlined in the Zoning Ordinance. The Board does not interpret or revise the ordinance. Rather, we are charged with reading and straightforwardly applying the provisions of the ordinance to the problems brought before us. We are empowered to grant special exceptions and variances, on a case-by-case basis, when such is appropriate and consistent with the letter and spirit of the ordinance.

Two appeals came before the Board in 1988. In these two cases, the board voted to:

1. GRANT a variance to the Estate of William Holt to waive the terms of the ordinance to permit a 19.4 foot setback resulting from inadvertent placement of the building too close to the property line.
2. GRANT a variance to Jan Herbert in order to subdivide a four-acre lot on Overbrook Road in the Turtle Hill Development, as the road was not built to town specifications.

The appointments of Mary Ellen Gilbert and Jane O'Connor expired in April. To fill their positions, the Selectmen appointed alternate Christopher Brooks as a full member and Barbara Barrand as the new alternate member. Chairman Ronald Hunt left the Board to serve as Selectman and Joseph Nelson was appointed to replace him.

This report would be incomplete without acknowledgement of the Board's gratitude to Ron and Mary Ellen for their many years of service. The heart of any small town is its people, and Ron and Mary Ellen's contributions have enriched us all.

Respectfully submitted,

Christopher Brooks  
Chairman

## CONSERVATION COMMISSION

The Franconia Conservation Commission has become involved in the state funded Land Conservation Investment Program (L.C.I.P.) during 1988 and with a specifically formed volunteer Task Force is working toward identifying the natural resource values of parcels of land proposed for protection. The "L.C.I.P." works with any landowner to negotiate terms of conservation easements which pose permanent voluntary restrictions on use of their land while allowing the land to remain privately owned. Any donation of conservation easements, land, or money is fully tax deductible and will help permanently ensure the natural ecology, unique scenic integrity and continued conservation use of open space that maintains the character of our town.

We would like to thank the many volunteers of the Commission and Task Force for their continued time and efforts as well as the donation of services and expertise of Reggie Tarr for the maintenance and care of plantings downtown.

With the rapid changes occurring in our area we urge residents to be informed and involved in the decisions being made for the future of our town. Conservation and preservation will determine the quality of growth in Franconia.

Respectfully submitted,

Gretchen Nellson Bunker

## CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Following is the treasurer's report for our three-town Chamber of Commerce for 1988.

Significant efforts have been made over the past year to expand, streamline and articulate the Chamber's operations. On the expansion side, the Chamber has engaged a full-time Executive Director, paid entirely out of the proceeds of membership dues (\$3,461.52 from 10/1/88, including withholding taxes, etc.) to assist in the management, administration and furtherance of the Chamber's primary objective to provide cost-effective services to its membership and the local community. The Executive Director's principal functions are to serve as a focal point for the Chamber and to lend support to the various volunteer working committees in the organization.

On the streamlining side, the Chamber has revised its accounting system more clearly to reflect the surplus and deficits from its operations. Through this process, the Chamber intends to develop a long term plan to determine the best ways to focus its limited resources on the most cost-effective of its operations. The accounting system is now partially computerized and the complete system should be operational by the end of the first quarter 1989. Contributions totalling \$8,080 from the three towns were insufficient to cover the approximate \$11,500 cost of an information booth attendant, whose wages had to be supplemented out of the Chamber's general reserves.

On the articulation side, the functions of the Chamber have been divided into approximately two dozen areas of responsibility including cultural events, information collection and dissemination, memberships, directories, map making and other publications, general and cooperative advertising, all season cross-country trails, booth operations, Cannon Mountain liaison, matching State grants, and other responsibilities. This division of labor into permanent ("standing") working committees is intended to decentralize the Chamber and to preserve the specialized knowledge that develops in each area of responsibility in order that changes of directors or committee members do not cause a corresponding loss of this knowledge to the whole organization. Each standing committee will coordinate with the board of directors through a committee member who is also a director. Although not all committees have yet been formed nor all directors designated to specific committees, the goal of the Chamber is to fill all vacancies by the end of the first quarter.

The Chamber needs approximately 100 volunteers to contribute approximately two hours per month to committee activities. Such contributions, when accumulated, will provide major cultural and economic benefits to the community. Anyone willing to assist in the Chamber's activities is invited to contact the Executive Director at 823-5466 or 5661.

## CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Beginning Balance 1/1/88	\$ 4,537.98
Income:	
Dues	\$13,332.50
Five-Day Ski	1,268.00
Display Box	225.00
Frostbite Follies	292.53
Raffle	572.00
Hayseed	1,325.34
Quilt Show	50.00
	<hr/> \$17,065.37
Expenses:	
Transfer to payroll	\$ 7,000.00
Office Expenses	989.16
PSNH	123.14
Phone	1,181.08
Postage	1,162.77
Liability Insurance	343.00
Booth Repairs	249.74
Mailing List Service	44.35
Annual Dinner	77.10
Brochure/Directory	2,680.84
Advertising (Win-Sum-Coop)	2,755.29
Bank Charges	697.61
Miscellaneous	98.08
	<hr/> \$17,402.16
Ending Balance 12/31/88	\$ 4,201.19

## PAYROLL ACCOUNT

Beginning Balance 1/1/88	\$ 1,346.12
Income:	
Town of Franconia	5,000.00
Town of Sugar Hill	3,080.00
Town of Easton (\$500 Pledged)	-0-
Transfer from checking	7,000.00
	<hr/> \$15,080.00
Expenses:	
Booth Attendants	\$ 9,234.81
Executive Director	2,721.60
Internal Revenue Service	2,867.04
UC	54.81
Workman's Compensation	88.00
FUTA Tax	76.99
Check Charges	7.16
	<hr/> \$15,050.41
Ending Balance 12/31/88	\$1,375.71

## FROST PLACE - SUMMARY OF ACCOUNTS

### Income

Cash on Hand	\$9,442.29
Interest	425.00
Bank Service Charges	-180.00
NEA	-0-
NHCA	750.00
NE Foundation	650.00
Fuller Foundation	700.00
Endowment Earnings - (Earned and Spent)	2,400.00
Friends of Frost	3,390.00
Festival	12,871.75
Sale of Tapes, House Sales	
Visitors, Books, etc.	
Sale of Mt. Intervals	8,448.85
Art Show (10% Sales)	-0-
Miscellaneous (Refund Payroll Taxes)	234.21
Consultant Fee Gift	800.00
Town of Franconia	5,500.00
TOTAL INCOME	<u>\$45,432.10</u>

### Expenses

#### Salaries/Fees:

Resident Poet, Festival Guest Fee,	
Festival Resident Fee, Festival Manuscript Faculty	\$ 4,006.00
Consultant Fee	800.00
Festival Adm. Director	-0-
Executive Director (annual)	10,749.38
Assistant (Summer)	960.96
Bookkeeper	220.00
Payroll Taxes	2,433.68
Medical Insurance (Executive Director)	1,000.00
Sub-Total	<u>\$20,170.02</u>
House/Museum	
Janitor/Repairs	551.95
Museum	358.75
Building Fund	2,091.00
Sub-Total	<u>3,001.70</u>



Program	
Festival Expenses	1,384.59
Telephone/Office	1,283.17
Print/Postage	2,396.82
Goods to Sell	3,850.39
Advertising	1,040.20
Travel	300.00
Utilities	412.82
Insurance	128.00
Payment to Town	262.49
Petty & Social	679.57
Consultant Fee (Donated)	<u>-0-</u>
Sub-Total	11,738.05
Purchase of CD	<u>14,661.58</u>
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$49,571.35
TOTAL EXPENSES (Less CD)	\$34,909.77

## THE FROST PLACE

In 1988 the Frost Place completed its twelfth season. It began in May with the arrival of poet Greg Delanty, the fifth Irish-Exchange Poet, while Mr. Thomas Lynch of Milford, Michigan, travelled to the Guthrie Centre in Newbliss, Ireland, as the Frost Fellow. Mr. Delanty gave readings at both Plymouth State and Dartmouth colleges as part of his month-long stay in Franconia. Mr. Lynch wrote that while in Ireland he "accomplished a year's worth of work in three weeks", so perfect were the conditions for making art. This is, indeed, the true meaning of residencies for artists.

On July 5th, the tenth Robert Frost Day in New Hampshire was celebrated. Mr. John Engels of Vermont, the 1988 Resident Poet, gave a reading of his poems to an audience of some 85 or 90 people, while Ms. Cleopatra Mathis of Dartmouth College gave a talk on the meaning of the Frost Place to poets in America.

From August 1st through the 7th, the tenth Festival of Poetry took place. Besides Mr. Engels, five other nationally prominent poets served as Guest Faculty to the 45 participants: Toi Derricotte, Paul Muldoon, Richard Howard, James Tate, and Rika Lesser. Each evening some 35 or 40 area residents and visitors joined the participants to hear readings by these poets. Both print and video media attended and reported on several of the readings and the Festival and the Frost Place generally.

Some 1400 people visited this year, and the Chamber booth reports several inquiries per day from people arriving in town expressly to see the Frost Place. National media included stories on the Associated Press wire as well as special photo features in southern and western papers. The 1988 budget finished well in the black.

Finally, last year's Town appropriation of \$5,500.00 for structural repairs to the building was spent (or firmly contracted for) in its entirety. The building is now in excellent shape, and the Board of Trustees extends its thanks to the Town and all its citizens for their generous support.

Respectfully submitted,

Donald Sheehan, Director

## FRANCONIA HISTORY-MUSEUM COMMITTEE

1988 has seen encouraging growth and development for the Franconia History-Museum Committee due to your support and the work of the committee members.

Some of the on-going and completed projects of the History-Museum Committee include:

During the summer of his Senior year at Plymouth State College, Raymond L. Holland indexed the old town records which are available at the Town Building.

Bernard Herbert of Franconia is leading an effort to collect information on casualty figures including names of residents of Franconia involved in conflicts from the American Revolution through the Vietnam Conflict. He is in contact with the Military Services Branch of the National Archives, Washington, D.C. This information will be used for future Memorial Day observances and special military dedications in the town.

The History-Museum Committee is delighted to pass along to you the news that Phyllis Herbert's *EARLY HISTORY OF FRANCONIA, NH*, received the 1988 James Tyler award for excellence in design for the Printer, Sherwin-Dodge of Littleton. This award is presented by the New Hampshire Graphic Arts Association.

The History-Museum Committee enjoys an outstanding and harmonious relationship with the Franconia Area Heritage Council. The Council has worked diligently along with the History-Museum Committee to encourage sales of the following books: *THE HISTORY OF FRANCONIA, NH* and *THE FRANCONIA NOTCH GUIDE* by S. Welch; *EARLY HISTORY OF FRANCONIA, NH* by P. Herbert; *SAVING THE GREAT STONE FACE* by F. Hancock. The Council has magnanimously agreed to use the revenues raised from the sale of books listed above and from memberships to promote historic projects in and for the town.

The project upper most in the minds of History-Museum Committee members at this writing is the future plan for the Sarah Welch property on Sunset Lane. No decision has yet been reached concerning its use. With the Selectmen's approval, we are about to begin the organization of the contents of the house, so that the building is available for whatever the future holds.

The History-Museum Committee is most grateful for articles donated for museum use. It is also grateful for the beneficent support of the Franconia Area Heritage Council and those who in turn support through their membership and donations.

Respectfully submitted,

Eileen Ball, Past Chairman  
Amy Bahr, Chairman

# **REPORT OF THE FRANCONIA/SUGAR HILL POLICE STUDY COMMITTEE**

## ***To the Boards of Selectmen of Franconia and Sugar Hill.***

If we were to write a preamble to this report we probably would paraphrase the Preamble of the Constitution of the United States something like this: "We the People of Franconia and Sugar Hill in order to form a more perfect union, establish justice, insure mutual tranquility and provide for a common Police Force - - -"

The Franconia/Sugar Hill Police Study Committee was organized in August of 1988 after the voters in both towns had directed the Selectmen to investigate a way to form a joint Police Department. The committee is composed entirely of people who volunteered their services. From Franconia are Dan Fowler, Pat Haggerty, Carl Hilgenberg, Jayne O'Conner, Chris Collman, Hal Tuttle and Jere Peabody. From Sugar Hill are Everett Grass, Jeff Henault, Jean Ring, David McPhaul and Roger Aldrich.

At the organizational meeting it was unanimously decided that the committee would act as a "regional" committee without regard to town lines. Roger Aldrich was chosen as chairman, Carl Hilgenberg was chosen vice chairman and Kathy Didier was asked to be secretary.

At the very beginning we found that no other grouping of towns had ever done what our voters wished to do. The pioneering spirit is not lost and we have proceeded to find the way.

### **THE PROCESS IN SUMMATION**

The plan, which this committee is recommending that the towns adopt, is the result of extensive research and interviews with those whom the committee felt would be able to help us reach the best and most cost effective conclusion. To name a few:

1. We met with each towns police chief, former Chief Young, and Deputy Sheriff Holland. We asked for, and received assistance from Deputy Sheriff Gilbert of Grafton County on technical details and budget questions. We sought out and received information on Salary and Benefits from many towns in Grafton County and also received pertinent information on the Fair Labor Standards Act as it pertains to Law Enforcement.
2. We met with the New Hampshire Municipal Association representatives; Stephen L. Sawyer, Municipal Risk Manager, and Leslie G. Horne, Loss Prevention Coordinator. At the same meeting was Eric Hampson of the Franconia Insurance Agency. A lengthy discussion centered on coverage and Occurance vs. Claims Made Insurance.
3. We had extensive meetings, correspondence, and phone discussions with Laurence Gardner, Attorney for Sugar Hill and Stephen Samaha, Attorney for Franconia. These meetings also involved the Attorney Generals Office for the State of New Hampshire. This was perhaps the most significant and time consuming work that the committee undertook. It involved finding the legal entity under which a joint police department might work best while at the same time affording the separate towns due process as regards budget and operational procedures. In addition, three crucial questions were raised: a) How to begin; b) What to do with the present separate departments, their personnel, and current case load proceedings; and c) How to dissolve a joint department if the voters of one or both towns became dissatisfied.

4. Two sub-committees were formed to facilitate research on legal and budget matters.

- a) Budget Group: Studied past town reports from both towns pertaining to Police Budgets; sought out and received information from law enforcement agencies including the Grafton County Sheriff Department; analyzed a salary/benefit study of cities/towns in Grafton County; examined current employee benefit packages; and proceeded to develop a plausible budget for a start up first year operation that utilizes the assets of the two current separate departments.
- b) Legal Group: Met with Town Attorneys Gardner and Samaha to examine in detail the various legal avenues open; had contact with Rep. Densmore in regards to the passage of legislation that would be in the best interest of the towns; and reviewed reports from the State Attorney Generals Office.

*(note: The full committee met first to discuss various study topics, sub-committees researched items further, and finally the entire committee met to review and finalize sub-committee workings.)*

The above information is being reported in order that the towns may better realize the level of research and care which the Police Study Committee has given each aspect of its task. Outlined below are the three (3) primary options that are available to permit the legal formation of a single Police Department. Concluding this report is the recommendation of this committee to our Boards of Selectmen and to our fellow townspeople.

#### METHOD A, ADMINISTRATIVE ENTITY

An Administrative Entity very similar to the agreement proposed by the Franconia Selectmen prior to the formation of this committee. Basically it is a contract between the two towns with one or the other providing the police service for both.

On the positive side is the fact that this would probably be the easiest method to implement.

On the negative side we find that a joint administration would probably not be allowed by the Attorney General, who must approve the contract, unless enabling legislation were first passed by the General Court. Without this legislation the only joint administration possible would be a "gentlemen's agreement".

The committee does not favor this plan as the non-administrative town would not be properly afforded its say and it would be akin to taxation without representation.

#### METHOD B, SEPARATE LEGAL ENTITY

This set up is similar to the present Regional Refuse Disposal Districts. Once the officers of the entity are in place they establish the budget and procedures as they see fit. A budget hearing is held but the voters have little say on line items.

On the positive side is that it can be done.

On the negative side is the lack of voter control over operation and budget. Enabling legislation may be called for to satisfy its legal status.

#### METHOD C, VILLAGE DISTRICT

Attached to this report is a copy of Chapter 52 which covers the establishment and operation of a Village District. It operates within boundaries established by the selectmen. The voters within

these boundaries have the same degree of control as that afforded by the town structure. It is the opinion of both Attorney Samaha, representing Franconia and Attorney Gardner representing Sugar Hill that a joint police department can be formed in this manner. We have consulted insurance people and have been assured that coverage will be available.

While both attorneys concur that this offers the best avenue for the two towns to proceed in, there is concern over several factors that may have to be addressed by legislation and the Attorney Generals Office.

- a) No other town has done it for this specific purpose;
- b) The statute was not written for two or more towns to include the entire townships within the district boundaries;
- c) The escape clause in the statute is cumbersome and inadequate in the view of this committee; and
- d) Another layer of government is formed consisting of a separate voting and taxing district.

#### WHERE DO WE GO FROM HERE?

It is the opinion of this committee that a clarification amendment needs to be introduced to Chapter 52 N.H.R.S.A. Which would clearly spell out the authority for entire towns to use this method and revise that section of the statute ie: disbanding districts

With these points in mind, a meeting was scheduled with “Ned” Densmore, Representative to the General Court for the purpose of introducing such legislation. This legislation will serve the interests of not only our two towns, but of any other towns in New Hampshire seeking out the best and most cost effective method of providing town services.

The state laws are full of special interest legislation that has been passed for the benefit of only one or two towns. This is not the intent of this committee’s recommendation; but rather to provide effective and workable legislation that will be of benefit state wide, and regardless of whether or not our towns fully utilize it.

#### POLICE STUDY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

With or without the proposed legislative amendment to Chapter 52, it is the majority opinion of this committee that METHOD C, VILLAGE DISTRICT is the preferable way to accomplish a joint police department for the two towns.

Included in the addendum to this report are:

- 1.) a structural outline of the proposed department;
- 2.) a preliminary minimum/maximum budget for a joint department;
- 3.) a copy of Chapter 52 of the N.H.R.S.A. re: Establishment of a Village District; and
- 4.) N.H. Municipal Association information re: insurance coverage.

Additional information regarding: 1.) occurrence insurance, which Mr. Hampson of Franconia Insurance Agency assures us is available and 2.) proposed legislation that Rep. Densmore will be presenting re: R.S.A. 52 will subsequently be supplied to the boards.

This committee recommends that the Board of Selectmen of Franconia and Sugar Hill proceed as soon as practicable to form a district under Chapter 52, N.H.R.S.A., for the purpose of providing police protection for the two towns.

This committee has worked extraordinarily well in our collective opinion and the members have enjoyed working together. If we can be of further assistance to the Boards of Selectmen in this matter we would be more than happy to take any action that they may request.

Respectfully submitted this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1988.

Franconia/Sugar Hill Police Study Committee

\_\_\_\_\_  
Roger Aldrich, Chairman

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Carl Hilgenberg, Vice Chairman

Dan Fowler	Jere Peabody
Pat Haggerty	Everett Grass
Jayne O'Conner	Jeff Henault
Chris Collman	Jean Ring
Hal Tuttle	David McPhaul





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**VITAL  
STATISTICS**

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**BIRTHS REGISTERED  
IN THE TOWN OF FRANCONIA, NH  
for the Year Ending December 31, 1988**

<b>DATE &amp; PLACE OF BIRTH</b>	<b>NAME OF CHILD</b>	<b>NAME &amp; SURNAME OF FATHER</b>	<b>MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER</b>
February 20, 1988 Littleton, NH	Zachery George Morris	Richard G. Morris	Alison J. Ferrelli
March 17, 1988 Littleton, NH	Lea-Margaret Morgan	James T. Morgan	Lisa N. Leduc
April 22, 1988 Littleton, NH	Matthew Richard McLachlin	Richard E. McLachlin	Karen A. Hartwell
April 29, 1988 Hanover, NH	Christine Anne Stevens	Norman J. Stevens, Sr.	Margaret M. Moore
April 29, 1988 Hanover, NH	Hope Elizabeth Stevens	Norman J. Stevens, Sr.	Margaret M. Moore
May 1, 1988 Littleton, NH	Alexander Sturtevant Foss	Paul W. Foss	Karen A. McGlinchey
May 18, 1988 Littleton, NH	Anne Margaret Cowles	Timothy C. Cowles	Kimberly A. Stone
August 6, 1988 Littleton, NH	Diana Pearl Harrison	Holt T. Harrison	Diana L. Call
September 1, 1988 Littleton, NH	Jon Richard Tuttle	Harold D. Tuttle	Martha A. Tarte
September 18, 1988 Franconia, NH	Brittany O'Brien Sherburn	Robert W. Sherburn, Jr.	Kathleen Achorn
September 29, 1988 Littleton, NH	Melvin Elsy Labelle, III	Melvin E. Labelle, Jr.	Tammy C. Butson
October 3, 1988 Littleton, NH	John Kyle Opalinski	John P. Opalinski	Anne Marie Carey
November 26, 1988 Littleton, NH	Michelle Elizabeth King	Peter A. Houghtaling	Kelly A. Vanderveer
December 23, 1988 Littleton, NH	Mathew Eric Larson	Eric E. Larson	Heidi J. Peterson

**MARRIAGES REGISTERED  
IN THE TOWN OF FRANCONIA, NH  
for the Year Ending December 31, 1988**

<b>DATE &amp; PLACE OF MARRIAGE</b>	<b>NAME &amp; SURNAME OF GROOM &amp; BRIDE</b>	<b>RESIDENCE OF EACH AT TIME OF MARRIAGE</b>
February 13, 1988 Franconia, NH	Jean Robert Paquin Lisa St. Martin	Southbridge, MA Quinnebaug, CT
April 23, 1988 Franconia, NH	Norman Joseph Stevens, Sr. Margaret Mary Moore	Franconia, NH Franconia, NH
May 21, 1988 Franconia, NH	Demetrios Andreas Milliaressis Renee C. Chouinard	Hoboken, NJ Hoboken, NJ
August 25, 1988 Franconia, NH	William John Torrey Donna Arlene Ahlberg	Ellington, CT Ellington, CT
August 27, 1988 Franconia, NH	James Blair Cunningham Patricia Rae Emmons	Franconia, NH Franconia, NH
October 9, 1988 Franconia, NH	Donald John Davis Jane Anne Muset	New York, NY New York, NY
October 10, 1988 Franconia, NH	Roger Aubrey Whyte Sharon Lynne Lusk	Pomfret, MD Pomfret, MD
October 21, 1988 Franconia, NH	Steven David Grills Susan Perretti	Mystic, CT Mystic, CT
November 5, 1988 Franconia, NH	David Alan MacKay Sarah Anne Armstrong	Franconia, NH Franconia, NH
December 3, 1988 Franconia, NH	Michael William Burelle Shelly Ann Korba	Hampton, CT Hampton, CT
December 24, 1988 Manchester, NH	Matthew Allen Nieman Rebecca Lynn Westhaver	Overland Park, KS Franconia, NH
December 31, 1988 Franconia, NH	Allen Albert Paquin Joan Marie Goudreau	Southbridge, MA Southbridge, MA

**DEATHS REGISTERED  
IN THE TOWN OF FRANCONIA, NH  
for the Year Ending December 31, 1988**

<b>DATE &amp; PLACE OF DEATH</b>	<b>NAME &amp; SURNAME OF THE DECEASED</b>	<b>NAME &amp; SURNAME OF FATHER</b>	<b>MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER</b>
January 27, 1988 Franconia, NH	Edward A. Pritchard	Albert E. Pritchard	Breua Leden
February 23, 1988 Franconia, NH	Charles W. Young, Sr.	Walter C. Young	Amy B. Cooke
February 23, 1988 Franconia, NH	Cecilia Rowe Coffin	Edward Rowe	Emma Hannaford
February 28, 1988 Franconia, NH	Philip S. Cassidy	Dennis Cassidy	Margaret Flannagan
April 10, 1988 Franconia, NH	Lillian Graham Nickerson	Frank Graham	Julia Manning
April 19, 1988 Franconia, NH	Frederica A. Harmes	Frederick A. Yenni	Anna D. Courtney
April 25, 1988 Franconia, NH	Catherine A. Young	Harry Allen	Gladys Hohnsen
April 26, 1988 Franconia, NH	Martha A. Wessels	John Baines	Ann Moon
May 29, 1988 Franconia, NH	Gwendolyn C. Elliott	George Carbee	Nellie Willey
June 4, 1988 Franconia, NH	Ruth Moore	Ernest Miles	Olabelle Swazey
June 8, 1988 Franconia, NH	Jessie M. Woglom	Duncan MacIntyre	Alma Quelch
July 12, 1988 Franconia, NH	Belzemir Sylvestre	Pierre Sylvestre	Sophia Laliberte
August 25, 1988 Franconia, NH	Charles Agnew Spaulding	Archibald Spaulding	Mabel Agnew
September 17, 1988 Franconia, NH	Ralph Gahagan	Frank Gahagan	Mary McCluskey
October 16, 1988 Franconia, NH	Marc G. Fragge	Ronald G. Fragge	Betty Oettinger
October 16, 1988 Franconia, NH	Joel William Sunshine	Norman Sunshine	Peggy ----
October 25, 1988 Franconia, NH	Hazel F. Harte	John W. Farr, Sr.	Lula Bedell
November 12, 1988 Franconia, NH	Anna Marion Fuller	James M. Reardon	Mary A. Murphy

November 17, 1988			
Franconia, NH	Hazel May Dunton	Ernest M. Messer	Bessie Gilbert
November 30, 1988			
Franconia, NH	Stuart Machlin	Saul Machlin	Rosalind ----
December 25, 1988			
Franconia, NH	Caroline Roaf	Job Weston	Florence Morrell

## **TOWN HOURS**

### **SELECTMEN'S OFFICE**

**823-7752**

DAILY .....	1:00 PM to	4:00 PM
MONDAY EVENING .....	7:00 PM to	9:00 PM

### **TOWN CLERK'S OFFICE**

**823-7752**

TUESDAY .....	9:00 AM to	2:30 PM
WEDNESDAY .....	9:00 AM to	Noon
SATURDAY (2nd & 4th of each month) ....	10:00 AM to	Noon

### **TAX COLLECTOR'S OFFICE**

**823-7752**

THURSDAY .....	8:30 AM to	10:30 AM
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### **PLANNING BOARD**

**823-7752**

TUESDAY (2nd & last of each month) .....	7:00 PM	
THURSDAY (office hours) .....	2:30 PM to	4:30 PM

### **TRANSFER STATION**

MONDAY .....	Noon to	6:00 PM
TUESDAY .....	CLOSED	
WEDNESDAY .....	Noon to	6:00 PM
THURSDAY .....	CLOSED	
FRIDAY .....	Noon to	6:00 PM
SATURDAY .....	Noon to	6:00 PM
SUNDAY .....	10 AM to	6:00 PM

### **ABBIE GREENLEAF LIBRARY**

**823-8424**

MONDAY .....	2:00 PM to	8:30 PM
TUESDAY .....	2:00 PM to	5:00 PM
WEDNESDAY .....	2:00 PM to	8:30 PM
THURSDAY .....	10:00 AM to	Noon
	2:00 PM to	5:00 PM
FRIDAY .....	2:00 PM to	5:00 PM
SATURDAY .....	10:00 AM to	12:30 PM

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**FIRE - POLICE - LIFE SQUAD - EMERGENCY PHONE**

**823 - 8123**

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